

COAL STRIKE ENDS--

ACCEPT PROPOSAL

**LAST SOFT COAL
IN DIXON YARDS
SOLD THIS MORN**

**Coke and Wood Must
Be Used for Fuel in
the Future.**

**IF YOU NEED
FUEL CALL NO. 3**

Practically every pound of soft coal in Dixon was requisitioned on orders issued through the new fuel clearing house office at the city hall before 11 o'clock this morning. Orders for coal were in several cases transferred and coke supplied where it could be used. Not only are families in Dixon out of fuel but some calls were received from farmers who are without fuel of any kind. At most a hundred orders had been booked by Walter Smith, clerk of the clearing house, before the noon hour today.

Change Pool Room Hours

The joint coal conservation committee met last evening at 4 o'clock in the clearing house office and conferred with the heads of some of the local manufacturing industries. The proprietors of local pool and billiard rooms met with the committee and obtained a readjustment of their hours for opening. It was decided to allow the pool rooms to open from the hours of 12 to 1 at noon, closing at 1 o'clock. They will reopen at 5 o'clock in the evening remaining open until 10:30 thus observing the six and one-half hour rule. During the open hours in the evening they will not be permitted to sell candy or tobacco of any kind.

Pappas is Reinstated

George Pappas, whose place of business was cut off from electric service yesterday forenoon upon orders issued by Chairman Henry S. Dixon appeared before the committee. The police reported that Pappas had been antagonistic to the conservation orders but his manner was considerably changed when he appeared before the committee. Pappas pledged that he was unaware of the hour his place of business was opened yesterday morning, stating that an employee opened up the establishment. The electric service will be reinstated at his expense today and Pappas is enthusiastic in abiding by the coal conservation rulings.

Barrus Handles Wood

The municipal wood yard proposition was being brought before the committee at its meeting last evening. At that time Carl Barrus of this city appeared before the body and arranged to take entire charge of this department of the work. Mr. Barrus will hire all help, take care of the orders for cutting and delivery of the wood, and will be taking through the clearing house office.

**CO. DADS BANQUET
AT CO. HOME TODAY**

The meetings of the county board of supervisors are being badly interfered with during their December session by the fuel conservation ruling. The board has been in the habit during the past session of transacting business until late in the afternoon and they are now required to adjourn at 3 o'clock.

Supervisor Joseph Bauer, of Hamilton township, was attending during this session in the absence of Chairman John Banks, who is in the west. At the morning's session, reports of various committees were read, the board adjourning at noon until 3 o'clock this afternoon. Practically all of the board members and some of the county officers went to the county home in automobiles at noon, when they inspected the property and enjoyed dinner.

The Telegraph was informed that approximately fifty plates had been laid for the dinner at 1 o'clock and that the menu was as follows: Soup and crackers, gravy, cranberry jelly, roast turkey, dressing, Giblet gravy, Perfection salad, Candied sweet potatoes, mashed potatoes, ice cream and cake, mince pie and cheese, pickles, olives, coffee and mints.

**Joliet Rotary Club
Plans Boy Welfare**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 10.—Declaring the "boys' question" to be the most important before the states today, boys work delegates from many Illinois cities in conference here today under the auspices of the Rotary club urged the establishment of welfare clubs and leadership of the youth of each community by men of high calibre. The session opened this morning continued throughout the day culminating in a father-and-son banquet tonight with 1000 plates reserved.

Delegates from Chicago, Harrisburg, East Moline, Rockford, Bloomington, Kankakee, Peoria, Quincy, Springfield, East St. Louis, Champaign, Morris and other Illinois cities attending the session.

The Rev. Walter MacPherson of Joliet presided as chairman of the meeting. Addresses were made by "Dad" Rompel, recreational worker at the Great Lakes naval training station; the Rev. J. Flynn of Champaign; S. C. Lensen of Morris; A. A. Dickinson of Rockford and R. O. Steops superintendent of Joliet schools.

Mrs. Milton Rossiter has returned from a visit in Beloit, Wis.

**MAY OPEN DIXON "Y"
TO LADIES TWO DAYS
WEEKLY, NEW SCHEME**

**Committee of Ladies Now
Making Canvass to En-
list Support.**

At the request of the Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. a group of representative Dixon women from the various churches and societies recently met at the building to confer upon the advisability of opening the building two days a week to the use of girls and women of Dixon.

The matter was brought up before the board of directors at the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. last evening. In general the plan is to concentrate the men's and boys' classes into four days of the week and then turn over all of the building to the use of the girls and women two days a week. This would include the use of the gym, swimming pool and bowling alleys. Educational and social privileges and physical classes would be organized.

The following women were present at the meeting: Mrs. J. W. Crawford, Mrs. Wilbur Leake, Mrs. F. Frost, Mrs. J. H. Potter, Mrs. Fairchild, Mrs. C. E. Smith, Mrs. Louis Leydig and Misses Caroline Ellis, Mary Johnson, Minnie Johnson, Elizabeth Raymond, Jean Hitchcock, Mamie Gorham, Bishop, Gaylord, White, Faith, and Francis Murphy. After a discussion of the matter it was decided that those present spend two days in interviewing other women to learn the sentiment towards this movement and report at a meeting on Friday evening. At that time if the report be favorable a request will be presented to the board of directors asking that the Y building be opened to the use of the girls and women for two days a week. The board will submit the proposition to the membership of the Y. M. C. A. for final decision.

Has Been Tried Elsewhere

This action marks an innovation in the Y. M. C. A. work but it is a plan that has been tried in other places. In Philadelphia it has been given a trial in one of the branches for four years, with the result that the men use the building more than ever and that there are almost as many women and girls using the privileges as there are men and boys. This particular Y has 3000 men and boys and 2800 women and girls in membership and the work is more varied and successful than before.

The program that will be carried out in the local Y if the change is made will offer to the girls and women practical help in what the Y. M. C. A. would like to be established. It will also keep the building and equipment busier all the time.

If upon investigation it is found that there is a real need and a desire for things that the Y can offer the board stands ready to take the necessary steps to meet this need, as far as it is possible to do so.

**London Ladies Like
American Cocktails**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

London, Eng., Dec. 2.—(Delayed.)—The "Woman's club" in Grosvenor Place, the "foran" has been given a trial in one of the best of the cocktail-tails in the west end of London.

"Gloom raiser," "elephant's kick," "monkey's gland," and "pussycat" are the names of some of the drinks, says the Globe, while "silver fish," "horse's neck," "widow's kiss," "rainbow" and "cloverclub" also are available.

**Reddish "Not Guilty"
of Father's Murder**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 10.—Dr. Horace A. Reddish, acquitted last night of the charge of killing his father, Stephen Reddish, was released today on a \$15,000 bond pending disposition of the charge of murdering Rachel Cisco, negro servant in his father's home.

Mrs. Glenn Pelton spent yesterday in Chicago, returning home last evening.

THE WEATHER

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 10

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago and Vicinity—Fair tonight and Thursday; a blizzard cold tonight with lowest temperature about 5 below; rising temperature Thursday; moderate southwest winds.

Illinois: Fair tonight and Thursday; not so cold Thursday and in northwest portion tonight.

COLD WAVE HITS EAST

Washington, Dec. 10.—The cold wave which has had the west in its grip for several days swept into the east and south early today.

The Weather Bureau announced that there would be a cold wave tonight throughout the Atlantic states, the upper Ohio valley and the lower lake region, but that the temperature would moderate slightly tomorrow in the Mississippi and Lower Ohio valleys.

High winds are general all along the coast and storm warnings were displayed this morning from Louisiana to Maine.

**19 BELOW ZERO IS
COLDEST OF SEASON**

The predicted cold wave made good the promises of the weather man by hitting Dixon and vicinity a jolt last night and today, the lowest temperature since last December being recorded.

Observer J. B. Lennon's report of the readings of the government thermometer show that the mercury reached a minimum of 19 degrees below zero during the night, its range being from that figure to 1 above. At 8 o'clock last evening it was zero and at 8 o'clock this morning it was 15 below.

**G. O. P. SPEAKER
ATTACKS WILSON
MEXICAN POLICY**

**Gov. Sproul Delivers
Keynote Speech at
Meeting Today.**

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Dec. 10.—Chicago was selected today as the place for the republican national convention next year. June 8 was selected as the date for the convention.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, D. C., Dec. 10.—Governor Sproul, of Pennsylvania, in a keynote speech at the meeting today of the republican national committee, attacked the administration's Mexican policy and declared the republican party approach the coming presidential campaign with confidence.

His outline of party policies included a better relation between capital and labor, economy and business management in administration, a firm handling of the Mexican situation, restoration of Americanism and constitutional government and a sound solution of the railroad problem.

Referring briefly to the question of peace, the governor declared that the republican citizenship had "endeavored to co-operate in the conclusion of the matter, with only such limitations as will preserve to this republic its full right to determine its own affairs under the constitution."

He declared that during republican times relations between capital and labor "have always been pretty well understood."

Sentiment for Americanism, he said, was rapidly increasing and it was the duty of the government to promote it.

Development of national resources, including the public land also was declared by the governor to be of prime importance. He pointed to the railroad question as forming one of the most difficult problems awaiting solution.

Personal Meddling.

Gov. Sproul also declared that the people wanted relief from "the interminable meddling of government departments in their private and personal affairs."

Mrs. McCormick Talks.

Mrs. Nedell McCormick, chairman of the women's division of the republican party, said women would support the republican party because it "is the sole instrument for the preservation of national unity and liberty."

The party, she said, would continue to champion "sovereignty under the law and fervent principles of nationalism which Roosevelt maintained to the end."

Mention of Col. Roosevelt's name brought a storm of applause.

Mrs. McCormick said the republican party had been the pioneer in laws protecting children and women, and she predicted that the eleven republican states which have not ratified the suffrage amendment to the constitution would do so in time to allow the women of those states to participate in the next national election.

Mrs. McCormick added that the women of the country wanted "an American America, and not a socialist or imperialist internationalism."

The time and place for the 1920 republican national convention are to be selected late today by the committee.

The odds for the convention honor before the meeting convened seemed to rest with Chicago but the St. Louis delegation declared they had a chance to win.

Discussion of the probable date centered about the first half of June.

**COMPTON YOUTH TO
CAPTAIN UNIVERSITY
FOOT BALL ELEVEN**

Elliott C. Risley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Risley, of Compton, has been elected by unanimous vote, to captain the Indiana University foot ball team next season, his senior year in the college. Concerning his election the Chicago Tribune said:

"Indiana students and alumni were made jubilant by the election this week of Elliott Risley to pilot Indiana state eleven as captain next season. Risley distinguished himself in the game with Syracuse by booting two field goals from the 25 yard line. He also scored in one manner in the Notre Dame game. Indiana supporters believe that Risley will captain the greatest foot ball team in the history of the institution, as he will have twelve veterans back to work with him, besides a wealth of material from the freshmen squad."

Prior to going to Indiana Risley was with the East Aurora state high school champions for two seasons.

**C. S. DELEGATES
LEAVE FOR HOME**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Brest, Dec. 10.—Frank L. Polk, the American under-secretary of State, Gen. Tasker H. Bliss and Henry White, the last of the American peace delegates remaining in France, this morning boarded the transport America, on which they will sail for the United States.

NEW RED OFFENSIVE

Reval, Estonia, Dec. 10.—The bolsheviks have begun a new offensive on the Narva front. After terrific artillery fire 10 assaults were delivered upon the Estonian positions. All the attacks were repulsed, the reports state, with heavy losses to the bolshevik forces.

**NEW BASTILE IS
CONSIDERED BY
CO. SUPERVISORS**

**May Be Next Improvement
After Bridge is
Repaired.**

At the present meeting of the board of supervisors some of the members of the board are expressing their views as to the need of a new county jail here. Aroused by the attempted jail delivery this summer and the successful delivery at the Whiteside county jail at Morrison several of the supervisors have expressed themselves of the need of a safer and more sanitary quarters here for the county prisoners.

Some of the members of the board have become so interested in the subject that they have visited the jail and have been shown its weak spots. Thus far while the matter has been discussed lengthily there is not a member of the board who has been heard to express himself as being opposed to the building of a new jail. "Just as soon as we get done with the expense of this Calena avenue bridge in Dixon we will have to go after the new jail. The present jail will answer the purpose for awhile but the county need safer, more modern and more sanitary quarters for its prisoners," said one of the county dads, and this is the general expression of the members who have been heard discussing the conditions.

While nearly all have agreed that a new jail is needed, there are some differences of opinion as to where it should be located. The majority are in favor of disposing of the present property on Third street and Hennepin avenue. It has been suggested that some of the stone in the present jail walls be used in the foundation or the building of a new structure. As to location, the southeast corner of the court house yard is the most popular. A new building along the most modern lines, the exterior to match up with the court house and equipped with the safest system of caring for prisoners together with modern living quarters for the sheriff are other angles of the question being discussed.

**STUDENTS OFFER
TO MANUFACTURE
STREET MARKERS**

**Council Gets Proposi-
tion—Last Payment
on Oakwood.**

Professor Stearns, instructor in manual training in the high school, appeared before the city commission at its regular meeting last evening with a proposition to furnish suitable signs for the marking of every street in the city, a movement which, if accepted, by the council and completed, will fill a long felt want here.

The instructor asks that the city furnish the lumber and paint for the work. The students enrolled in the manual training department will do the lumbering and the project sizes and paint the signs. It is suggested that the signs be marked with a black letter on a white background. The matter was approved by the council but no official action was taken. The mayor and every commissioner were favorable to accepting the offer and will doubtless do so at an early date.

Professor Stearns stated in his talk that work could not be started on the signs until after the holidays but said the students could then take up the work putting the signs up in the spring. He explained that this would not only fill a long felt want in the city at an inexpensive figure, but would also furnish work for the manual training classes and instill in the minds of the students a sense of civic pride.

Final Payment for Oakwood

The council passed the motion offered by Commissioner Palmer for the final settlement between the city of Dixon and Louise P. Steel for the Oakwood cemetery property was accepted and the city treasurer directed to pay to Louise P. Steel the sum of \$3956.43, balance due to her for the land described upon delivery of the deed. The council also voted to permit the mayor and city clerk to execute a deed conveying to Peter J. Muldoon, of Rockford, bishop of this diocese of the Catholic church, the first part of the cemetery. The city treasurer was also instructed to pay to the Catholic church cemetery committee of Dixon the sum of \$314.43 refund due out of the balance on hand after final settlement had been made.

**SEE IMPORTANCE IN
CLEMENCEAU TRIP**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Paris, Dec. 10.—(Havas)—Premier Clemenceau's trip to London will be of great political importance, according to newspapers here, which say that he will discuss the Adriatic, Russian Turkish and exchange questions and also seek to bring about co-operation among entente nations.

The Echo De Paris says the principal object of the trip is the strengthening of the bonds between the entente countries "as the first step in the organization of our alliances."

Vittorio Scialoja, Italian foreign minister, who now is in London, will participate in conferences which M. Clemenceau will hold with British ministers, according to the Matin.

ANARCHISTS STILL FIGHTING.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Dec. 10.—Final efforts to prevent the deportation of Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman were taken today, their counsel asking the Supreme Court for permission to file appeals from federal court decrees in proceedings.

The court gave counsel for Berkman and Miss Goldman permission to file papers and allowed the government to file a brief in opposition to the request that the court hear the case. The court, however, did not indicate when it would consider the application.

Mrs. Birdsong is assisting at the L. L. Edson store.

**RECORD STORM,
INTENSE COLD,
DRAINS SUPPLY**

**From 50 to 20 Below
Over Middle and
Western States.**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 10.—Hope for relief from sub-normal temperatures by tomorrow was held forth by the weather bureau today, with announcement that the crest of the cold wave would pass the Mississippi valley today and tonight, minimum temperature of 5 degrees below zero was predicted for the Chicago district tonight, with slowly rising temperatures tomorrow.

In the south, where floods have caused considerable property damage, rendered hundreds homeless and cost three lives during the past twenty-four hours, the rain has ceased, but a decided drop in temperature is in prospect. Freezing temperatures were reported from Galveston, Tex., this morning.

The coldest place on the weather map was White River, Ontario, with a minimum of 44 below zero. Duluth reported 22 below; Des Moines 20; Clinton, Ia., 23; Waterloo, Ia., 29; St. Paul, Minn., 16; Green Bay, Wis., 14, and Kansas City, 6 below.

TOWNS WITHOUT FUEL.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 10.—Below zero temperatures prevailed today in virtually all districts from the Mississippi valley to the Rocky Mountains region and the cold wave began its eastern invasion with subnormal temperatures of 20 to 50 degrees. In many parts of the western country, already hardest hit by the fuel shortage brought about by the strike of bituminous coal miners, many small cities and towns were destitute of coal and suffering was reported, with more to be expected unless moderation of the severe weather brought quick relief.

As a further coal conservation measure the most severe curtailment of passenger train service ever known was effected today with extension of the federal railroad administration's "train miles" saving order to the Chicago region. The order already was operative in the other railroad regions. It was estimated 15,000 tons of coal would be saved daily by it.

Floods Are Fatal.

Presaging extension of the cold wave into the east and southeast heavy rain storms were prevalent throughout those sections yesterday, with heavy property damage in Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi and loss of three lives near Atlanta, Ga., in flood waters. Railroad service was seriously handicapped and also paralyzed by the almost unprecedented rains.

Worst Storm in History.

In the western country where almost record snowfalls accompanied the unseasonable cold, rail and wire communication also was handicapped.

In eastern Washington and Oregon one of the worst snow storms in history was recorded. In Wyoming the snow was heaviest, deep drifts of snow had fallen today, an unusual amount for that region. It gradually deepened northward to Bend, Oregon, where twenty-eight inches, the heaviest since 1884, fell. Near Astoria, Ore., logging camps were forced to close by the heaviest snow in 25 years.

No general moderation was forecast for today, although in some sections of the north, weather bureaus said that thermometers would rise by tomorrow. The wide range of the bitter weather was indicated by reports of sub-zero readings from these places.

Lander, Wyo., 34 below; Havre, Mont., 50; Williston, N. D., 36; Helena, and Miles City, Mont., and Cheyenne, Wyo., 30; Devils Lake, N. D., 26; North Platte, Neb., and Bismarck, N. D., 22; Pueblo and Denver, Colo., and Rapid City, S. D., 20; Moorhead and Duluth, Minn., and Huron, S. D., 14; Charles City, Iowa, and Dodge, N. D., 10; Minneapolis, Minn., Sioux City, Iowa, and Spokane, Wash., 8; Omaha, Neb., and Concordia, Kan., 6; Des Moines, Ia., 4; Chicago, 3; Wichita, Kan., 2.

While optimistic regarding settlement today of the strike by the Indianapolis conference, there was no let-up in efforts to have coal brought out by volunteer miners in states where that system of production had been resorted to.

The swoop of low temperatures found western Kansas where many places had exhausted their fuel supply several days ago.

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**COMMUNITY CLUB IN
DOWN TOWN OFFICE**

The community club of Dixon has nearly completed its organization and will be under the competent direction of Mrs. J. M. McCleary, who is famed throughout this locality for her executive ability. J. B. Lennon will act as treasurer. The club has opened headquarters in the Ferguson building, formerly owned by C. J. Rosbrook, in the rooms occupied for a short time by Dr. A. P. Robertson. The headquarters may be reached through the telephone by using the number formerly held by Dr. Robertson, No. 515. There will be some one in charge of the rooms daily from 1:30 until 4 o'clock.

A community club signifies the getting together of the people, the reaching out of loving hands to bring about better conditions and every church and social organization will be asked to co-operate and report all cases at headquarters.

The public will be kept in close touch with the work being done by the Community club.

**MEXICAN BANDIT SAYS
JENKINS KIDNAPPING
WAS PLOT BY CONSUL**

**Purported Facsimile Letter
Charges Jenkins
with Fraud.**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 10.—A facsimile letter published in El Democrita, a newspaper of Mexico City and purported to have been written by the bandit Cordova, the bandit who kidnapped W. O. Jenkins, American consul at Puebla, said that Jenkins desired to be kidnapped as a matter of proof that President Carranza was unable to afford personal protection to foreigners dwelling within the republic.

The letter, which is displayed on the front page of El Democrita, said in part:

"There was no kidnapping in the case of Consul Jenkins, because it was his own desire, and he volunteered to come with me. We would not accept the money which some one sent to us. This will prove that it was not a case of kidnapping and holding for reward on my part."

"I protested all that the consul said to me because it was not legal. I believe that it is my duty to make this act clear, and I want it understood that I don't want to surrender to Carranza, because I am a revolutionist by conviction."

El Democrita commented that Cordova believed it to be to the interest of the country to publish the letter and added that the ransom money was sent by two employees of the Light and Traction company of Puebla, one of the men being named Cortez, the other unknown to officials or to Cordova.

Cordova's parting sentence in the letter was: "Never must the government hope for my surrender, as has been stated by the newspapers."

**Burn Furniture to
Keep from Freezing**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Dec. 10.—With eastern railroad yards congested with loaded coal cars, people in some sections of the west are burning furniture to keep from freezing, the Rivers and Harbors Congress was told today by H. H. Merriek, president of the Chicago Association of Commerce and of the Mississippi Valley Association.

Mr. Merriek was supporting a project for a United States-Canadian ship canal in the St. Lawrence river to connect the Great Lakes with the sea. The present coal crisis, he declared, was a large measure a transportation crisis.

As chairman of the Illinois coal committee, the speaker said he had received telegrams today imploring that more coal be sent to that section. "Yet here in the east," he said, "you have more coal than is needed for necessities in the next few weeks. Iowa is burning wood and cutting down trees to save the situation."

**Quincy is Entirely
Closed; Out of Coal**

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Quincy, Ill., Dec. 10.—The fuel situation here has reached the acute stage. Over 100 homes are reported without heat and there is little coal in the railroad yards. The fuel committee and the civic coal committee this morning ordered all heat shut off from business houses with the exception of the daily newspapers and public buildings.

**PEORIA AVE. MAY BE
PAVED NEXT SEASON**

Petitions are being circulated today among the property owners on Peoria avenue from Third to Tenth streets, for presentation to the city council, requesting that body to originate a scheme for the construction of a concrete cement pavement there.

STERLING WOMAN IS CALLED.

Mrs. C. R. Powell, of Sterling, an aunt of Mrs. Bertha Pearl, of Palmyra, passed away at her home last evening at 5 o'clock. She passed her eighty-fifth birthday the 12th of last October and for over sixty years had been a resident at Powell Corners, east of Sterling. She is survived by three sons and a daughter, all of whom reside in or near Sterling. Mrs. E. E. Byers, of Spirit Lake, Ia., is a niece.

SUFFERING IN CHICAGO.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 10.—Swamped by appeals from 6,600 families for relief, the United Charities of Chicago today issued a call for a \$100,000 emergency fund. Appeals from the poor were said to be coming in at the rate of 100 a day.

Agents of the association said they were laying off thousands of workmen in factories closed by the coal strike was responsible for much of the suffering.

PROHIBITION DIRECTOR

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Dec. 10.—Hubert E. Howard of Winnetka, was appointed today as federal prohibition director for Illinois. He is a graduate of the Harvard law school and was a captain in the 331st field artillery during the war.

HAD OPERATION.

Mrs. Allison underwent a minor operation at the Dixon Hospital Wednesday morning and is reported as doing well.

Mrs. A. G. Hill, of Streator, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Trein, to remain over the Christmas holiday. Mr. Hill will come for Christmas day.

Mrs. Fremont Lahman, of Franklin Grove, was a Tuesday caller.

Have your public sale published in the Evening Telegraph.

**UNIONS AGREE
TO COMMENCE
WORK AT ONCE**

**President's Offer of 14
Per Cent Increase is
Accepted.**

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 10.—The strike of 400,000 bituminous coal miners of the country was settled here today when the general committee of the United Mine Workers of America agreed to accept the plan offered by President Wilson.

The members voted to accept the proposal of President Wilson shortly before 3 o'clock this afternoon. At that time it was said no vote had been taken on the question of holding a convention of the union. The committee was still in session at that hour.

The plan provides that the miners shall return to work at once at an increase of 14 per cent in wages; that a commission of three persons be appointed to investigate and determine within 60 days, if possible, a basis for a new wage agreement. The conference was made up of international and district officials and members of the executive board and the scale committee of the organization.

Operation of the mines will be resumed, except as to wages, on the same basis which obtained prior to the strike.

NO RELAXATION

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Dec. 10.—There will be no relaxation of restrictions on the use of coal for the present as the result of the ending of the coal strike, fuel administrator Garfield announced late today.

PRESIDENT INFORMED

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Dec. 10.—President Wilson was advised immediately after news came of the settling of the strike. The word passed quickly in official circles and administration officers frankly expressed their belief. It was said there would be no statement from the White House.

NOON RECESS.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 10.—With President Wilson's proposal for ending the strike still under consideration, the conference of the miners recessed at 12:05 this afternoon until 1:30 for lunch. Acting President John L. Lewis said he "expected the miners to finish" today. Otherwise he would make no comment.

Frank Farrington, head of the Illinois miners, who have composed a group said to be strongest in opposition to the proposal, made a lengthy speech before adjournment of the committee. It could not be learned whether he continued in his opposition or, as reported earlier, set forth the attitude of the Illinois delegation as having decided to support the proposal. It was asserted this morning that the miners led by Mr. Farrington had decided at caucus last night to discontinue their opposition to the President's plan.

MET THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 10.—The general committee of the United Mine Workers of America reconvened shortly before 10 o'clock this morning for further consideration of President Wilson's proposal for ending the strike of 400,000 bituminous coal miners of the country. It was generally expected the proposal, providing for the immediate return to work of the miners at an increase of 14 per cent in wages and the appointment of commission of three men to adjust wages, would be accepted before the conference adjourned for the day.

STRONG OPPOSITION.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 10.—Settlement of the strike of coal miners today was forecast this morning by officials of the United Mine Workers of America before the organization's general committee resumed consideration of President Wilson's proposal for ending the tie-up.

This prediction was made in the face of strong opposition which developed yesterday and which probably will prolong argument for and against the President's plan. One man high in the councils of the miners union, late last night, however, declared that the conservative element in the conference was in the majority and that agreement to end the strike was certain when the question came up for final vote.

THE WOMAN WHO LOVED--AND EARNED

By JANE PHELPS

A Modern Story of Home and Business

CHAPTER III.

Then one night, walking home from the movies, Robert asked me to marry him. I was happy, oh so happy because I loved him. I had pretended to Mary Ryan that he was no more to me than others, but it wasn't so. He meant all the world to me, all of happiness, and I told him so, and in the telling felt no shame. Why should I? Why should any girl, once she knows the man to whom she has given her heart honestly loves him and wants to have her for his wife?

"I have no patience with the sickly sentimentality that makes a girl make pretence of holding her lover off because he might think her anxious."

"So I told Robert I would be his wife in the fall. It was the last of July when he asked me."

Throughout the daylight hours of August and September I worked doubly hard in the shop, and devoted the evenings I did not spend with Robert to getting my simple trousseau ready. The time slipped by almost imperceptibly, so happy and so busy was I. Mary Ryan helped me in every way.

"If you are bound to make a goose of yourself, why I might as well help even if I don't like your getting married," she had grumbled as she stitched away on a negligee.

"It won't make any difference in my feeling for you Mary, so don't be so grumpy about it," I replied. I couldn't help feeling a little hurt that Mary should object to my marrying.

"Oh, get out! Don't I know that when a girl gets married she might as well be dead for all the comfort she is to anybody but the man she marries--sometimes she isn't even to him. Here I was plannin' how we would live together when we got old, the fine times we would have learnin' to cook"--she stopped in pretended surprise, "goodness, Gerry, you can't get married! You don't know a blessed thing about keepin' house, or cooking."

"I'm not going to keep house, silly."

"What are you plannin' to do? Hire a housekeeper and cook on a ship deck's salary?"

"I'm planning to keep my position, Mary. I shall go on working just the same. And Mary, please do pronounce your p's. I hate to keep telling you."

"Maybe I don't wish I had gone to high school like you, before I had to work to keep from starving."

"Don't speak so bitterly, Mary. You know as much as I do, more about some things--the shop, etc."

"Don't think I am a fool enough to swallow that, Gerry. Give me I ain't like a fool who don't know the real thing when they see it. I have got sense if I ain't got education. And I know you was all to the merry first day you came to the shop. I'm going to work like blazes and some day I'll be a sales woman too, you see if I ain't."

"You surely will if you try. You are naturally much smarter, much cleverer than I am," I assured her, "and I will help you learn to speak more grammatically if you will let me. I should study too, and so will be helping each other." I was a little anxious as to how Mary would take my offer. She was proud and high spirited.

"Honest, Gerry, do you mean that?" Mary's eyes suddenly overflowed. "I never thought anyone would care enough about me to learn me anything."

"Of course I mean it--that is, if you won't mind being corrected."

"Mind?--not on your life! But I reckon it will keep you pretty busy."

"So it was settled. Mary was to learn to speak correctly. I was to teach her 'learn her,' she persisted in saying. She was quiet for a moment, then--"

"Say, Gerry, does Robert know you are going right on working at the shop?"

"Yes--that is, we haven't talked much about it. At first he objected terribly. But now he isn't quite so insistent. I made him see how foolish it would be. I earn as much, almost, as he does." (I earned fully as much, but I would not let even Mary know it for fear she would not think quite so well of Robert.)

(To Be Continued)

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The council decided that Turkey's gold reserves now in Berlin shall be transferred to Paris.

Mrs. William Shaw, of Polo, was in Dixon Tuesday.

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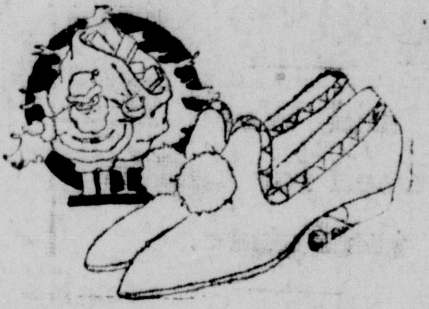
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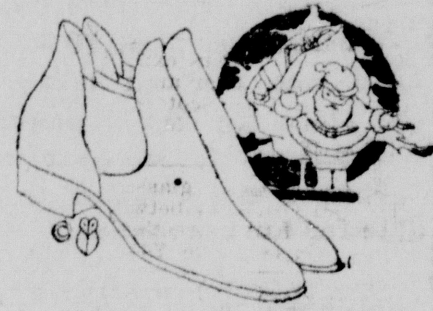
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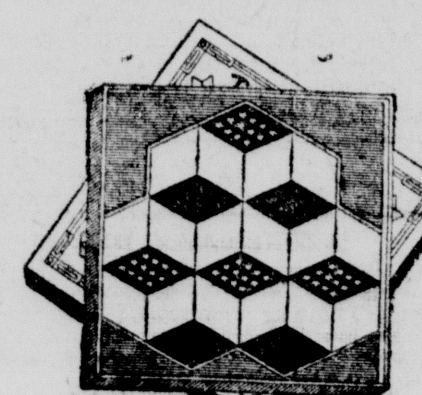


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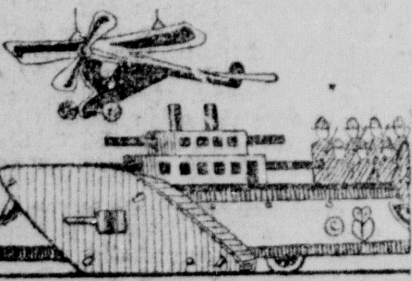
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COMING EVENTS

Wednesday
M. E. Home Missionary—Mrs. Morris Cook, 410 Hennepin Ave.
C. W. B. M. Evening Meeting—Mrs. A. E. Durr.
Kingdom Community Aid—Mrs. Geo. Gronwald.

Thursday
German Lutheran Aid Society Meeting—Church.
St. Paul's Missionary—Mrs. John Daehler, 718 E. Second St.
Royal Neighbors—Miller Hall.
Parents' Teacher Association meeting, with address by President Brannon, of Beloit College—S. S. High School Assembly Room.
Luther League—German Lutheran Church.
Baptist Industrial All-Day Meeting—Mrs. Allen Smith.
Young Woman's Bible Class of M. E. Church—Mrs. Charles Kleppinger, 606 N. Galena Ave.
W. C. O. F. Meeting—K. C. Hall.
Eldena Missionary Society—Mrs. Jos. Heimbaugh.
Kendall Club Meeting—Mrs. B. F. Downing.

Friday
Mystic Workers—Miller Hall.
Candlelighters' Meeting—Mrs. Lydia Morrill, 315 Peoria Ave.
Section 2, M. E. Aid Society—Mrs. Grose, 810 Highland Ave.
Section One, M. E. Aid—Mrs. George, 217 E. Third St.

SERVICE STAR LEGION ELECTIONS

Officers were elected Tuesday afternoon by the members of the Service Star Legion, one meeting in advance of the regular time for election as the Legion will probably disperse with other meetings until the coal situation clears. The officers chosen are:

President—Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook, re-elected.
Senior Vice President—Mrs. Marie Heller.

Junior Vice President—Mrs. Horton. Treasurer—Mrs. Clea Bunnell. Secretary—Mrs. Sadie Bowers. Chaplain—Mrs. Wilhelm. Historian—Mrs. Dudley Woodworth. Pianist—Mrs. Nettie Coakley. Assistant Pianist—Mrs. Kate Spencer. Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Jos. Crawford.

The meeting opened with scripture reading by the chaplain and with the repeating in unison of the Lord's Prayer. The secretary and treasurer's reports were heard and Mrs. Heller gave a report of the ticket sale for the recent benefit, showing that the Legion netted \$83.16 after paying a war tax of over \$22.00. The play given, "A Regular Girl," with Elsie Davis starring, was excellent and all the members of the Legion feel well repaid for their efforts.

One new member was admitted at this meeting. In all there were thirty-three present. A social hour followed the meeting.

WESTMINSTER GUILD MET—The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church held its first meeting since organizing about a month ago at the home of Miss Louise Appleford on Monday evening. The twenty-two members present adopted the standard constitution and formulated by-laws and named committees. Mission study work of some nature will be taken up. Miss Appleford served very good refreshments during the evening. Next month's meeting will be at the home of Miss Elizabeth Raymond.

S. S. CLASS ELECTED

The Young Men's Alliance Class of the Grace Evangelical church held a meeting Monday evening at the home of Wilson White and elected officers for the year. Homer Senneff was chosen class president; Wilson White, vice president; Henry Hey, treasurer, and Carl Hess, secretary. J. U. Weyant was chosen teacher and J. A. Meyers, assistant teacher for the year. The previous year George Beede held the office of teacher.

PRACTICAL CLUB MET

Practical club members spent a very pleasant afternoon Tuesday with Mrs. C. E. Keyes at her home, 521 Peoria avenue. Mrs. W. J. Worsley had the current events and a delightful program of music was given, the Misses Lois Keyes and Evelyn Street giving a vocal duet, the Keyes twins, Roberta and Ruth, singing "Christmas Bells" and a good-night song, and Miss Josephine Lavon several vocal numbers. Enjoyable refreshments were served by the hostess during the afternoon.

HOT POLLOI CLUB

Miss Nell Fuestman entertained on Tuesday evening the members of the Hot Polloi club. Fancy work and social chat whiled away the evening and a tempting two course luncheon was served. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held Monday evening, Dec. 22nd, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Leidy. To this the husbands and friends of members will be invited. A Christmas grab bag is to be a feature.

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CHRISTMAS CANTATAS

The Junior Choir of the Methodist church is making promising headway in its rehearsals for the cantata to be given on Christmas night, a very pretty production, entitled "To Santa Claus Land with the Dream Man." The Christmas cantata, "The Wondrous Light" (Stultz) will be presented by the Senior choir on Sunday night, Dec. 21st. The musical effects in this are very beautiful.

CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY

Eight little friends of Master Lavond Vorhis, 315 South Galena avenue, Tuesday afternoon from four until 5:30, helped him to celebrate his eight birthday anniversary. Music and games were the entertainment of the afternoon and a pretty two course luncheon was served. Many pretty birthday gifts were left for Master Lavond with the best wishes of his little friends for many happy returns of the day.

G. R. C. MEETING

Election of officers of the Golden Rule Circle of the Grace Evangelical Sunday school was abandoned at Monday evening's meeting at the home of Mrs. Al Buchanan and other business matters discussed. A pleasant social time, with refreshments, was also enjoyed.

PACKED CHRISTMAS BOX

The Philathea Class of the Grace Evangelical Sunday school held a meeting in the church on Monday evening and packed a box of clothing and gifts for the Christmas box to be sent to Chicago for distribution among the needy.

W. C. O. F. MEETING

A regular meeting of the Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters will be held Thursday evening at Knights of Columbus hall. Four candidates are to be initiated, with the Girls' Drill team putting on the work. A social hour will follow the meeting.

ENTERTAINED

Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook entertained at luncheon Tuesday noon and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leake entertained at dinner Tuesday evening for Mrs. G. H. Squires and Miss Squires. They left last night for Los Angeles, Cal., and will make their home there.

NAVY MAN WAS GUEST

Guy Rosbrook, son of Bart Rosbrook, of Minnesota, who is in the navy, stopped here yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook on his way to New York.

VISITED PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. David Connell, of Deer Grove, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Connell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Trotman.

STERNAN CLUB MET

Sternan club members met with Miss Pauline Brass Monday evening and discussed the Christmas party and other business over their coffee.

ELDENA MISSIONARY

The Eldena Missionary society will hold a meeting with Mrs. Jos. Heimbaugh on Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

KENDALL CLUB

The Kendall club will hold a meeting tomorrow at the home of Mrs. B. F. Downing.



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COLLEGE PRESIDENT TO SPEAK

The Parent-Teacher association will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the South Side High school assembly room. This promises to be the most interesting meeting the association has held in that a speaker of educational prominence is on the program, President M. A. Brannon, of Beloit College, who will give an address. Supt. Reeder and Mr. Vazena will also have papers. The association is formed with the purpose of bringing together the teacher and parents, inspiring a deeper interest and understanding on both sides. We have an excellent corps of teachers in our schools and it is hoped that a large audience will greet President Brannon and our own teaching staff on Thursday evening.

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SECTION ONE, M. E. AID

Section No. 1 of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. George, 317 East Third street, on Friday afternoon.

TO HOLD APRON SALE

The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church will hold a sale of aprons Saturday, Dec. 13th, at Ferguson's store.

QUEEN ESTHERS MET

Miss Gladys Smith entertained the members of the Queen Esther society of the Methodist church at her home on Monday evening. The program, an interesting and pleasing one consisted of a vocal duet by Misses Ruth Mossbold and Elva Wadsworth, a solo by Miss Mar on Weltzel, a paper by Mrs. Louis

Meppin on "Americanization," and two shorter papers by Miss Dorothy Palmer and Miss Josephine Lievan on mission work. A pleasant social hour, with good refreshments, followed.

M. E. PRAYER MEETING

The prayer meeting of the Methodist church will be held at 7 o'clock this evening instead of 7:30, the usual hour.

\$2331 PROFIT REALIZED BY ROCKFORD FOOT BALL

Rockford, Ill.—That high school football is gaining in popularity in Rockford is evidenced by the estimated total attendance for the past season, 7075 paid admissions. This is an average of nearly 1200 per game. The total of \$4287.97 was taken in for the six games with a profit of \$2331.29 for the high school athletic association.

JUDGE CRABTREE PRESIDES AT SESSION STERLING COURT

Judge John B. Crabtree of the Lee County Court is presiding in the Sterling City Court in the hearing of the damage suit of West vs. Ridge. Judge Sheldon of that court, having knowledge of the case, asked the Dixon judge to hear the suit in which West is seeking damages for the destruction of a pile of straw, alleged to have been set on fire by sparks from a traction engine owned by the defendant.

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With poor coal, described by the engineers on the North-Western as "real estate," cold weather, which adds to the obstacles in keeping up steam and increased work due to the elimination of many trains, has seriously disarranged passenger train schedules, and every North-Western train last night and today was from one to five hours late. This morning, No. 6, due here at 3:23 was over five hours late and No. 24, due at 6:40 was about the same period behind its schedule.

Mrs. Glen Pelton and Mrs. Len Erickson went to Chicago yesterday for a few days' visit with friends.



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Then one night, walking home from the movies, Robert asked me to marry him. I was happy, oh so happy because I loved him. I had pretended to Mary Ryan that he was no more to me than others, but it wasn't so. He meant all the world to me, all of happiness, and I told him so, and in the telling felt no shame. Why should I? Why should any girl, once she knows the man to whom she has given her heart honestly loves him and wants to have her for his wife?

"I have no patience with the sickly sentimentality that makes a girl make a pretense of holding her lover off because he might think her anxious."

So I told Robert I would be his wife in the fall. It was the last of July when he asked me.

Throughout the daylight hours of August and September I worked doubly hard in the shop, and devoted the evenings I did not spend with Robert to getting my simple trousseau ready. The time slipped by almost imperceptibly, so happy and so busy was I. Mary Ryan helped me in every way.

"If you are bound to make a goose of yourself, why I might as well help even if I don't like your getting married," she had grumbled as she stitched away on a negligee.

"It won't make any difference in my feeling for you, Mary, so don't be so grumpy about it," I replied. I couldn't help feeling a little hurt that Mary should object to my marrying.

"Oh, get out! Don't I know that when a girl gets married she might as well be dead for all the comfort she is to anybody but the man she marries—sometimes she ain't even to him. Here I was plannin' how we would live together when we got old, the fine times we would have learnin' to cook," she stopped in pretended surprise, "goodness, Gerry, you can't get married! You don't know a blessed thing about keepin' house, or cookin'."

"What are you plannin' to do? Hire a housekeeper and cook on a ship clerk's salary?"

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light German warships will be divided among the smaller powers for coast defense purposes. The council approved the report of naval experts concerning the allotment of material resulting from demolition of the German fleet. The destruction of the German ships will be carried out by the powers to which they are allotted but the time for their destruction will be prolonged.

The council decided that Turkey's gold reserves now in Berlin shall be transferred to Paris.

Mrs. William Shaw, of Polo, was in Dixon Tuesday.

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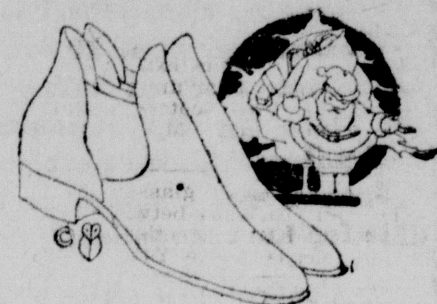
Children's Slippers in plain and fancy colors\$1.15 to \$1.50

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Leather Slippers in brown and black, style as illustrated\$3.50 to \$4.00

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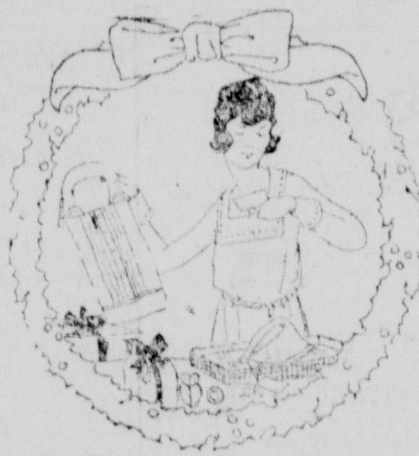
Little Sketches and Short Talks to Give You a Sidelight on the Subject of Your Christmas Shopping

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An abundant supply of the season's most desired Blouse styles. Georgettes in rich colorings and soft evening shades reveal exquisite silk embroidery, beadwork, French tucking, lace trimmings and almost every conceivable style is to be found in the many new models now on display. \$5.98 to \$18.50.

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A wonderful lot for Christmas shoppers to pick from. Collar Sets, Vestees and Collars made of sheer nets, laces, organdies and georgettes. All newest shapes and styles. 59c to \$3.50.

A Christmas Hint—Buy Her Furs



This nipping air is now turning our thoughts to Furs for comfort and aside from that—for style. Chic styles that will be appreciated by the woman in search of the latest Fur models. Coats, Capes, Coatees, Scarfs and Muffs.

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You will welcome this opportunity to secure one of these beautiful Bags. The season's newest styles and shapes. \$1.25 to \$22.50.

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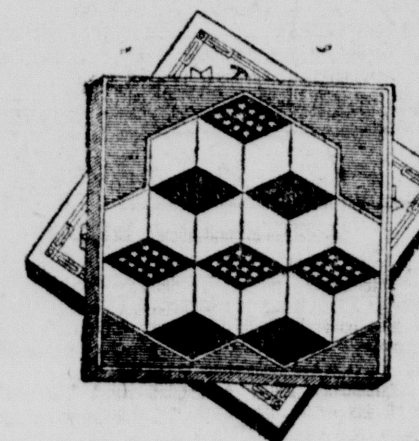


These chilly mornings make one realize the necessity of heavier Gloves. You will find in our assortment all the new styles. Better choose now for Christmas while stocks are full.

Silk Gloves, \$1.00 to \$1.50.
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REAL CHRISTMAS GIFT. Extremely becoming and popular are these Slipover or Coat Sweaters at prices that are sure to please.



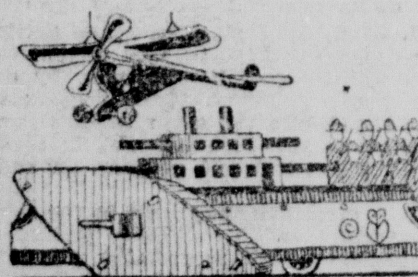
The game of Liberty Blocks, the family entertainer.

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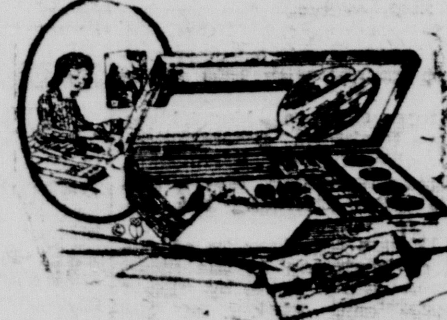
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With eyes so bright, that close at night and hair all curled in ringlets tight. There are dollies here for the little folks that will stand the knocks without fear. Come and see them in grand array. 25c to \$5.00.

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COMING EVENTS

Wednesday
M. E. Home Missionary—Mrs. Morris Cook, 410 Hennepin Ave.
C. W. B. M. Evening Meeting—Mrs. A. S. Dorr.
Kingdom Community Aid—Mrs. Geo. Gronwald.

Thursday
German Lutheran Aid Society Meeting—Church.
St. Paul's Missionary—Mrs. John Duercher, 718 E. Second St.
Royal Neighbors—Miller Hall.
Parent-Teacher Association meeting with address by President Brannon, of Beloit College—S. S. High School Assembly Room.
Luther League—German Lutheran Church.
Baptist Industrial All-Day Meeting—Mrs. Allen Smith.
Young Woman's Bible Class of M. E. Church—Miss Charles Kleppinger, 606 N. Galena Ave.
W. C. O. F. Meeting—K. C. Hall.
Eldena Missionary Society—Mrs. Jos. Heimbaugh.
Kendall Club Meeting—Mrs. B. F. Downing.

Friday
Mystic Workers—Miller Hall.
Candlelighters Meeting—Mrs. Lydia Morrill, 315 Peoria Ave.
Section 2, M. E. Aid Society—Mrs. Grose, 810 Highland Ave.
Section One, M. E. Aid—Mrs. George, 317 E. Third St.

SERVICE STAR LEGION ELECTIONS

Officers were elected Tuesday afternoon by the members of the Service Star Legion, one meeting in advance of the regular time for election as the Legion will probably disperse with other meetings until the coal situation clears. The officers chosen are:

President—Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook, re-elected.
Senior Vice President—Mrs. Marie Heller.

Junior Vice President—Mrs. Horton. Treasurer—Mrs. Clea Bunnell. Secretary—Mrs. Sadie Bowers. Chaplain—Mrs. Wilhelm. Historian—Mrs. Dudley Woodworth. Pianist—Mrs. Nettie Coakley. Assistant Pianist—Mrs. Kate Spencer. Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Jos. Crawford.

The meeting opened with scripture reading by the chaplain and with the repeating in union of the Lord's Prayer. The secretary and treasurer's reports were heard and Mrs. Heller gave a report of the ticket sale for the recent benefit, showing that the Legion netted \$83.16 after paying a war tax of over \$22.00. The play given, "A Regular Girl," with Elsie Janis starring, was excellent and all the members of the Legion feel well repaid for their efforts.

One new member was admitted at this meeting. In all there were thirty-three present. A social hour followed the meeting.

WESTMINSTER GUILD MET—
The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church held its first meeting since organizing about a month ago at the home of Miss Louise Appleford on Monday evening. The twenty-two members present adopted the standard constitution and formulated by-laws and named committees. Mission study work of some nature will be taken up. Miss Appleford served very good refreshments during the evening. Next month's meeting will be at the home of Miss Elizabeth Raymond.

S. S. CLASS ELECTED—

The Young Men's Alliance Class of the Grace Evangelical church held a meeting Monday evening at the home of Wilson White and elected officers for the year. Homer Senneff was chosen class president; Wilson White, vice president; Henry Hey, treasurer, and Carl Hess, secretary. J. U. Weyant was chosen teacher and J. A. Meyers, assistant teacher for the year. The previous year George Beede held the office of teacher.

PRACTICAL CLUB MET—

Practical club members spent a very pleasant afternoon Tuesday with Mrs. C. E. Keyes at her home, 521 Peoria avenue. Mrs. W. J. Worsley had the current events and a delightful program of music was given, the Misses Lois Keyes and Evelyn Street giving a vocal duet, the Keyes twins, Roberta and Ruth, singing "Christmas Bells" and a group of songs, and Miss Josephine Lovan several vocal numbers. Enjoyable refreshments were served by the hostess during the afternoon.

HOL POLLOI CLUB—

Miss Nell Fuestman entertained on Tuesday evening the members of the Hol Polloi club. Fancy work and social chat whirled away the evening and a tempting two course luncheon was served. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held Monday evening, Dec. 22nd, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Loydig. To this the husbands and friends of members will be invited. A Christmas grab bag is to be a feature.

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CHRISTMAS CANTATAS—

The Junior Choir of the Methodist church is making promising headway in its rehearsals for the cantata to be given on Christmas night, a very pretty production, entitled "To Santa Claus Land with the Dream Man." The Christmas cantata, "The Wondrous Light" (Stultz) will be presented by the senior choir on Sunday night, Dec. 21st. The musical effects in this are very beautiful.

CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY—

Eight little friends of Master Lavond Vorhis, 515 South Galena avenue, Tuesday afternoon from four until 5:30, helped him to celebrate his eighth birthday anniversary. Music and games were the entertainment of the afternoon and a pretty two course luncheon was served. Many pretty birthday gifts were left for Master Lavond with the best wishes of his little friends for many happy returns of the day.

G. R. C. MEETING—

Election of officers of the Golden Rule Circle of the Grace Evangelical Sunday school was abandoned at Monday evening's meeting at the home of Mrs. Al Buchanan and other business matters discussed. A pleasant social time, with refreshments, was also enjoyed.

PACKED CHRISTMAS BOX—

The Philathea Class of the Grace Evangelical Sunday school held a meeting in the church on Monday evening and packed a box of clothing and gifts for the Christmas box to be sent to Chicago for distribution among the needy.

W. C. O. F. MEETING—

A regular meeting of the Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters will be held Thursday evening at Knights of Columbus hall. Four candidates are to be initiated, with the Girls' Drill team putting on the work. A social hour will follow the meeting.

ENTERTAINED—

Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook entertained at luncheon Tuesday noon and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leake entertained at dinner Tuesday evening for Mrs. G. H. Squires and Miss Squires. They left last night for Los Angeles, Cal., and will make their home there.

NAVY MAN WAS GUEST—

Cory Rosbrook, son of Bart Rosbrook, of Minnesota, who is in the navy, stopped here yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook on his way to New York.

VISITED PARENTS—

Mr. and Mrs. David Connell, of Deer Grove, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Connell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Trotman.

STERNAN CLUB MET—

Stjernan club members met with Miss Pauline Brass Monday evening and discussed the Christmas party and other business over their coffee.

ELDENA MISSIONARY—

The Eldena Missionary society will hold a meeting with Mrs. Jos. Heimbaugh on Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

KENDALL CLUB—

The Kendall club will hold a meeting tomorrow at the home of Mrs. B. F. Downing.



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COLLEGE PRESIDENT TO SPEAK—

The Parent-Teacher association will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the South Side High school assembly room. This promises to be the most interesting meeting the association has held in that a speaker of educational prominence is on the program, President M. A. Brannon, of Beloit College, who will give an address. Supt. Reeder and Mr. Vazena will also have papers. The association is formed with the purpose of bringing together the teacher and parents, inspiring a deeper interest and understanding on both sides. We have an excellent corps of teachers in our schools and it is hoped that a large audience will greet President Brannon and our own teaching staff on Thursday evening.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR RENT—Fine 220 A. dairy or stock farm, one-half mile from town on hard road. Two sets modern buildings. Silo, milk house, etc. Never failing springs furnish water all fields and bldgs. Two houses with baths. Ideal location for retail dairy. Cash or terms to man with choice herd, 25 to 50 cows. Rich black soil. River frontage. Give references with reply. Poss. Jan. or Mar. L. Carey Telegraph. 28813

YOUNG MEN—18, 35, for Railway Mail Clerks. \$1300 to \$1500. Experience unnecessary. Examinations Jan. 1. For particulars, write R. Terry (former Civil Service Examiner) 337 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 28912

LOST—Small hand bag containing \$51 in bills (Christmas present to a crippled little girl) between W. Ninth St. and Dementtown. \$5 reward if returned to Charles Witzleb, 1416 W. Ninth St. Phone Y730. 28913

FOR SALE—One extra good Poland China spring boar and a few pigs; also one pure bred Scotch Shorthorn bull 3 years old, cheap. M. J. Kent & Sons, Amboy, Ill. 28913

LOST—Pair nose glasses with chain and pin yesterday between 409 E. Second St. and Overstreet's Jewelry store. Finder please phone Y443. 28914

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WANTED—Carpenter work of any kind. Telephone R510. 28913

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SECTION ONE, M. E. AID—

Section No. 1 of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. George, 317 East Third street, on Friday afternoon.

TO HOLD APRON SALE—

The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church will hold a sale of aprons Saturday, Dec. 13th, at Ferguson's store.

QUEEN ESTHERS MET—

Miss Gladys Smith entertained the members of the Queen Esther society of the Methodist church at her home on Monday evening. The program, an interesting and pleasing one consisted of a vocal duet by Misses Ruth Mossholder and Elva Wadsworth, a solo by Miss Marion Weitzel, a paper by Mrs. Louis

Meppin on "Americanization," and two shorter papers by Miss Dorothy Palmer and Miss Josephine Loevan on mission work. A pleasant social hour, with good refreshments, followed.

M. E. PRAYER MEETING—

The prayer meeting of the Methodist church will be held at 7 o'clock this evening instead of 7:30, the usual hour.

\$2831 PROFIT REALIZED BY ROCKFORD FOOT BALL.

Rockford, Ill.—That high school football is gaining in popularity in Rockford is evidenced by the estimated total attendance for the past season, 7075 paid admissions. This is an average of nearly 1200 per game. The total of \$4287.97 was taken in for the six games with a profit of \$2831.29 for the high school athletic association.

JUDGE CRABTREE PRESIDES AT SESSION STERLING COURT

Judge John B. Crabtree of the Lee County Court is presiding in the Sterling City Court in the hearing of the damage suit of West vs. Ridge. Judge Sheldon of that court, having knowledge of the case, asked the Dixon judge to hear the suit in which West is seeking damages for the destruction of a pile of straw, alleged to have been set on fire by sparks from a traction engine owned by the defendant.

IT MAY BE A REVELATION TO YOU AND YOU'RE WELCOME TO USE ALL YOUR EYES TO SEE OUR STOCK OF XMAS PRESENTS. THEY ARE UP TO OUR USUAL STANDARD AND ARE NOW READY FOR YOUR INSPECTION. STERLING'S PHARMACY. 28914

PASSENGER TRAINS BEHIND SCHEDULES

With poor coal, described by the engineers on the North-Western as "real estate," cold weather, which adds to the obstacles in keeping up steam and increased work due to the elimination of many trains, has seriously disarranged passenger train schedules, and every North-Western train last night and today was from one to five hours late. This morning, No. 6, due here at 2:28 was over five hours late and No. 24, due at 6:40 was about the same period behind its schedule.

Mrs. Glen Pelton and Mrs. Len Erickson went to Chicago yesterday for a few days' visit with friends.



Do your Christmas shopping early while stocks are at their best

WHAT TO BUY

WOMEN'S PRESENTS

Shoes \$4.25 to \$14.85
Hosiery 50c to \$2.50
Dancing Pumps \$10.35
Oxfords \$4.25 to \$8.50
Felt Slippers \$1.85 to \$2.45
Leather Slippers \$2.75 to \$4.00
Gaiters 65c to \$3.85

CHILDREN'S PRESENTS

Shoes 95c to \$5.00
Felt Slippers \$1.45
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Leggings.

MEN'S PRESENTS

Shoes \$3.95 to \$12.00
Felt Slippers \$2.25
Leather Slippers \$2.75 to \$3.50
Hosiery 25c to \$1.15
Gaiters \$1.00

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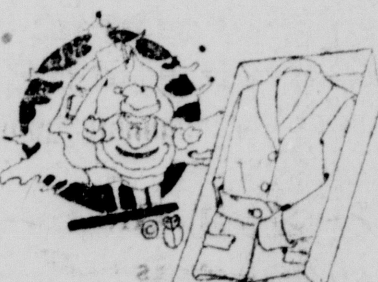
The only way to combat the coal shortage is to use as little coal as possible, which means that the temperature in all dwellings and buildings must be kept as low as possible.

WARMER CLOTHING WILL AID YOU

in keeping comfortably warm with a maximum saving of fuel. Come to us for what you need in warm wear. Our stock of winter weight wear was never more complete.

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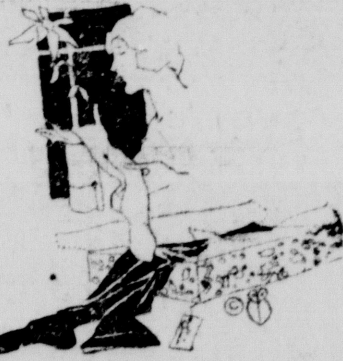
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CLASS CONSCIOUSNESS.

What is this class consciousness
which the Socialists manage to mention
in every speech and every piece of writ-
ing?

When a banker, living on small and
legitimate profits, leaps to the defense
of a contractor who has gouged the
government on a cantonment construc-
tion—just because the two are closely
classified as capitalists—that is class
consciousness.

When a labor union man who prides
himself in belonging to an organization
which abides by its contracts and agree-
ments comes charging to the side of a
union man who has made of his con-
tract a scrap of paper—the only bond
between the two being that they are
spoken of as wage-earners—that is
class consciousness.

It is an ugly thing, this class con-
sciousness. It does more than any
other one cause of disorder to
maintain strife between capital and la-
bor. It does more than any other one
thing to annul the teaching of Chris-
tianity. Better we have open civil war
in America, fought cleanly and in the
open, than the crookedness and secrec-
y and viciousness of the class
consciousness.

SHE IS USUALLY RIGHT.

The Detroit man who placed \$5,000 in
\$50 bills in a chimney for safe keeping
and discovered that nothing remained,
but ashes when he looked for his money
several days later has a wife.

This lady warned him not to put his
money in the chimney, but her advice
was disregarded. Now her opinion of
her husband is not available for the
public prints, yet it must be interesting.
This is a case of the wife having the
last word with a vengeance. We have
known of wives who would hesitate to
pay \$3,600 for the right to say "I told
you so" the rest of their days, but there
are others who would call the price
cheap. This husband is going to have
a mighty slim chance in arguments
from now on.

The moral is plain—the wife fre-
quently has better sense than the hus-
band and in case of doubt it is safest
to do as she says. If she's right, noth-
ing is lost; if she is wrong, you have
her a helpless witness to your wisdom
for the rest of her days.

"I'll help mind your business, Eur-
ope, but I'll mind my own business
too," says Uncle Sam. That's a reser-
vation.

Russia is settling down, they say, but
it will be some time before that coun-
try will be good market for hair re-
storers.

In a crisis such as the coal strike
the country misses the personality of
Theodore Roosevelt.

They say there are Reds on the gov-
ernment payroll. Does that account
for the red tape?

They talk of dividing the year into
thirteen months. Bet the rent profit-
ers started that.

PROBLEM

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NEWS
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VOLLEY BALL TOURNEY

The volley ball tournament started off
last night at the Y with a great deal of
interest and enthusiasm. Sutterlin and
Potter's teams played the first contest
and when the smoke had cleared away
Sutterlin and his warriors had annexed
the first two games. The teams were
as follows: Sutterlin, Capt., Rogers,
Kennedy, Smith, Schildberg, Leland,
Potter, Capt., Der Kinderen, Poffinger,
ger, Vezina, Reeder, Hey Segner. The
scores were 15-4 and 15-6. Thursday
evening at 5:15 the second of the tour-
nament games will be played when
Wheeler and Wilson meet.

GAMES ON THE ALLEYS

Monday night the I. N. U. team won
from the Rangers 1530 to 1454 and the
Browns won from the Farmers 1664 to
1456. Tuesday the Mavericks won from
Boynston-Richards 1652 pins to 1545.
Boers' Plow Co. team rolled 1784 to 1591
for the Wire Screen. The scores:

I. N. U.	
Miller	112
Eichenberg	149
Kohlenboer	141
Nelson	128
Grand Total	1530
Rangers	
Prescott	137
Saxman	102
Augstrom	124
Crabtree	123
Grand Total	1464

Browns	
Rinehart	138
Kohlenboer	142
I. Long	144
Hartman	144
Grand Total	1568

Farmers	
Cortright	135
Hank	101
Traves	115
Wadsworth	150
Grand Total	1456

Boynston-Richards	
Wohnke	138
Boynston	163
Richards	95
Miller	113
Grand Total	1543

Mavericks	
W. Slothower	137
Pontius	92
Shank	134
L. Poole	162
Grand Total	1652

Boers (Plow Co.)	
Boers	160
Vaughn	143
Graff	161
Duffy	135
Grand Total	1784

Wire Screen	
Schuele	117
Warner	138
Edous	159
Rever	119
Grand Total	1501

30 YEARS AGO IN
DIXON TELEGRAPH

Finley McMartin left Dixon for an ex-
tended visit in California.
E. J. Ryan started the erection of a
new front on his building on Main St.
Fred Hanlan and others started a
movement for equipping a gymnasium in
Military Hall over Rosbrook's livery
stable.

Charles Spiller suffered severe injury
to his right eye when a piece of steel
was thrown into it at the Grand Detour
plow shops.

TEN YEARS AGO IN
DIXON TELEGRAPH

Lester Barclay broke his arm in a fall
at the south side school.
The city council passed an ordinance
declaring "fizz joints" nuisances.
Lee Co. Farmers' Institute began its
annual meeting at Harmon.

IS A REAL HIKER.

Charles Anderson, Jr., whose trade is
known among electricians as "trouble
shooting," has taken quite a fancy to
hiking. Yesterday he started out and
walked to Polo, inspecting the lines of
the Illinois Northern Utilities company
from Dixon to Polo. He did not mind
the cold wind and this morning went to
Amboy on the passenger train, starting
from there on a hike back to Dixon, in-
specting the company's lines between
the two towns and watching for any
breaks that might cause serious trou-
ble.

WILSON MESSAGE
TO UNION HEADS
ON COAL STRIKE

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, D. C., Dec. 9.—Follow-
ing is the text of President's Wilson's
proposal presented to the miners' offi-
cials in conference with Attorney Gen-
eral Palmer here Saturday, which
forms the basis for the proposed settle-
ment of the strike at Indianapolis:
"I have watched with deep concern
the developments in the bituminous
coal strike and am convinced there is
much confusion in the minds of the
people generally and possibly of both
parties to this unfortunate controversy
as to the attitude and purposes of the
government in its handling of the situa-
tion.

"The mine owners offered a wage
increase of 20 per cent, conditioned,
however, upon the price of coal being
raised to an amount sufficient to cover
this proposed increase of wages, which
would have added at least \$150,000,000
to the annual coal bill of the people.
The fuel administrator in the light of
present information has taken the posi-
tion, and I think with entire justifica-
tion, that the public is now paying as
high prices for coal as it ought to be
required to pay and that any wage in-
crease made at this time ought to come
out of the profits of the coal operators.
In reaching this conclusion, the fuel
administrator expressed the opinion that
the 14 per cent increase in
all mine wages is reasonable because
it would equalize the miners' wages on
the average with the cost of living, but
he made it perfectly clear that the op-
erators and miners are at liberty to
agree upon a larger increase provided
the operators will pay it out of their
profits, so that the price of coal would
remain the same.

"The Secretary of Labor, in an effort
at conciliation between the parties, ex-
pressed his personal opinion in favor of
a larger increase. His effort at concilia-
tion failed, however, because the coal
operators were unwilling to pay the
scale he proposed unless the govern-
ment would advance the price of coal
to the public, and this the government
was unwilling to do.
"The fuel administrator had also sug-
gested that a tribunal be created in
which the miners and operators would
be equally represented to consider fur-
ther questions of wages and working
conditions, as well as profits of opera-
tors and proper prices for coal. I should
of course, be glad to aid in the forma-
tion of such a tribunal.

"I understand the operators have
generally agreed to absorb an increase
of 14 per cent in wages, so that the pub-
lic would pay not to exceed the present
price fixed by the fuel administrator.
and thus a way is opened to secure the
coal of which the people stand in need,
if the miners will resume work on these
terms pending a thorough investigation
by an impartial commission which may
readjust both wages and prices.

"By the acceptance of such a plan
the miners are assured immediate
steady employment at a substantial in-
crease in wages and action upon
questions which are not now settled
to their satisfaction. I must believe
that with a clear understanding of
these points they will promptly return
to work. If, nevertheless, they persist
in remaining on strike, they will put
themselves in an attitude of striking in
order to force the government to in-
crease the price of coal to the pub-
lic so as to give a still further increase in
wages at this time rather than allow
the question of a further increase in
wages to be dealt with in an orderly
manner by a fairly constituted tribunal
representing all parties interested.

"No group of our people can justify
such a position and the miners owe it
to themselves, their families, their fel-
low workmen in other industries and
to their country to return to work.

"Unbiased Inquiry Pledged.
"Immediately upon a general re-
sumption of mining, I shall be glad to
aid in the prompt formation of such a
tribunal as I have indicated, to make
further inquiries into this whole mat-
ter and to review not only the reason-
ableness of the wages at which the min-
ers start to work, but also the reason-
ableness of the government prices for
coal. Such a tribunal should, within
sixty days, make its report, which could
be used as a basis for negotiation for
a wage agreement. I must make it
clear, however, that the government
cannot give its aid to any such further
investigation until there is a general re-
sumption of work.

"I ask every individual miner to give
his personal thought to what I say. I
hope he understands fully that he will
be hurting his own interest and the in-

terest of his family, and will be throw-
ing countless other laboring men out of
employment if he shall continue the
present strike, and further, that he will
create an unnecessary and unfortunate
prejudice against organized labor,
which will be injurious to the best in-
terests of workmen everywhere.
"WOODROW WILSON."

REPUBLICANS IN
CALIFORNIA ASK
TREATY PASSED

By Associated Press Leased Wire
San Francisco, Calif., Dec. 10.—Near-
ly forty prominent California republic-
ans have telegraphed Will H. Hays,
chairman of the republican national
committee, a joint appeal to urge repub-
lican senators to ratify the peace treaty
immediately without reservations or
amendments which would require its
re-submission. Their telegram sent yes-
terday, was made public here today by
the California branch of the League to
Enforce Peace, follows in part:
"The undersigned, republicans of Cal-
ifornia, concerned for their party and
their country, respectfully urged upon
you and the other members of the re-
publican national committee the neces-
sity for the ratification of the peace
treaty.

"The defeat of the treaty and a separ-
ate peace with Germany will be a be-
trayal of our allies and a victory for
Germany.
"The responsibility for this if the
treaty fails cannot be shifted or con-
ceded. It will rest upon the majority
of the republican senators, through
them, upon the party, and the issue,
which should not be a party one, will be
made so.

"Upon this issue we are confident that
the vast majority of the republicans in
this state at least are in favor of the
treaty and that the position of the re-
publican senators will seriously damage
the party.

"Signers of the petition include:
Friend W. Richardson, state treasurer;
Will C. Wood, state superintendent of
public instruction; Dr. Ray Lyman Wil-
bur, president of Stanford University;
Ralph P. Merritt, former food adminis-
trator of California; Frank M. Angellotti,
Lucien Shaw and Max C. Sloss, jus-
tices of the state Supreme Court; Dr.
Aurelia Reinhardt, president of Mills col-
lege; Chester P. Powell, publisher of the
Evening Republican; William T. Bonser,
counsel of the San Francisco labor
council; Frank C. McDonald, a vice pres-
ident state building trades council;
Frank C. Brittan, justice of the district
court of appeals; William C. Van Fleet,
United States district judge; R. A.
Crothers, publisher of the San Francis-
co Bulletin; W. W. Campbell of the Lick
Observatory; Mrs. Maud R. Mott of San
Francisco.

HUNTS DUCKS WITH EMPEROR
Tokio, Monday, Dec. 8.—Admiral Bert
Gleaves, commander of the United
States Asiatic fleet, his wife and daugh-
ter were presented to the Emperor and
Empress today. An imperial duck hunt
in honor of the admiral has been ar-
ranged and there will be series of din-
ners given by members of the cabinet.
Riflejackets from the South Dakota,
Admiral Gleaves' flagship, are enjoying
sightseeing excursions after their long
voyage through the South Seas.

"FLU" REGULAR VISITOR.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Eng., Dec. 2.—(Delayed.)—
Influenza microbes have a regular pro-
gramme by which they recur in cycles
of thirty-three weeks, according to the
Medical Research Committee. The next
cycle is expected in January and Feb-
ruary, it is said.

Closing Out Cow and heifer sale, 20
head, Dec. 26. Arthur C. Morris, 28814

AMERICAN RED CROSS



The undersigned believes that the sale
of Christmas Red Cross seals should
have the endorsement of each and all of
our people, as they have a vital interest
in the health welfare of Lee county at
heart.
The State Tuberculosis Association of
Illinois is doing a highly commendable
work in the teaching of healthful liv-
ing, to the children and adults, and in
establishing county sanitariums and
clinics for the treatment of tuberculo-
sis.

It is urgently recommended that the
use and sale of these seals be empha-
sized for the health of Lee County.
Very truly,
L. W. MILLER,
Co. Supt. of Schools.

HELMICK NOW HEAD
SPANISH WAR VETS

David E. Helmick was elected com-
mander of Baldwin Camp, United Span-
ish War Veterans, at the meeting of
that organization last evening, other of-
ficers elected being:
Senior Vice Commander—Charles
Brown.
Junior Vice Commander—Sam W.
Cushing.
Officer of the Day—Charles H. Frisby.
Officer of the Guard—Eric M. Weed.
Trustee (for three years)—Sam W.
Cushing.
Commander Helmick will appoint his
Quartermaster and Adjutant and an-
nounce them at the next meeting.

CUDAHY TO MARRY

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 10.—Edward A. Cudahy
Jr., who was kidnapped from his home
in Omaha, 19 years ago by Pat Crowe
and ransomed for \$25,000, is engaged to
be married. It was announced here to-
day. Cudahy now is vice president of
the Cudahy Packing Co., of which his
father is president. He served in the
World war as a captain of the coast
artillery. His fiancée is Miss Margaret
Carry, daughter of Edward F. Carry,
who was one of the principal aides to
E. N. Harley of the United States ship-
ping board during the war.

EXAMINATION FOR COUNTY SU-
PERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS

The undersigned road and bridge com-
mittee would respectfully recommend
that applications be received by this
board for recommendation to the state
highway department to take examina-
tion as provided by law. Applications
must be filed with the county clerk on
or before 9 o'clock Thursday, Decem-
ber 11th, 1919.

ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE.
Joseph Bauer
J. J. Trostle
J. A. Miller
W. J. Edwards
J. M. Sterling

RECORD STORM,
INTENSE COLD,
COAL RUNS LOW

(Continued from page one.)

days ago, fortified with stocks of vol-
unteer mined coal. Some places in
Montana and Wyoming similarly were
provided for.

At the other mines, the most im-
provement was noted in the unionized
Kanawha fields of West Vir-
ginia, where it was reported 35 mines
were operated yesterday, a gain of 10
in 24 hours.

FLOODS ARE BAD.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 10.—Torrential
rains over the greater part of the south
that first had proved a blessing by en-
abling large hydro-electric plants to op-
erate without consumption of coal, to-
day had continued in such force as to
flood rivers in Alabama, Georgia, and
Mississippi, causing thousands of dol-
lars damage and at least three deaths.
Ten inches or more of rain fell at va-
lue points in Alabama and Georgia.
Fair weather and a cold wave were
predicted for Alabama and Mississippi
and it was believed the rains would be
over in Georgia during the day.

A Thousand Homeless.

The drop in temperature was expect-
ed to cause severe suffering around
Meridian, Miss., where floods had left a
thousand persons homeless after a rain-
fall of 10.10 inches. Similar conditions,
although not to such a great extent
prevailed along the Chattahoochee river
below Atlanta and West Point, Ga.,
was reported partly under water with
outside communication cut off.

Mortorists Drowned.

Railroad traffic in Georgia was badly
hampered and in lower Alabama and
Mississippi it was in many cases par-
alyzed. Several cities reported street
car service interrupted. Troy Creek
flowed over its banks on the Cascade
road 6 miles from Atlanta and under-
mined the foundations of a bridge. An
automobile containing 5 persons went
through the weakened structure last
night and county police reported that
three of them had lost their lives. The
Chattahoochee river overflowed
bottom lands near Atlanta and reached
a stage of 28-feet at the city water-
works. A 200-foot section of the dam
of the Montgomery Light & Power Co.,
at Tallahassee, Ala., was washed out late
yesterday with a loss estimated at
\$250,000.

Shoemakers Pleasure
Club

Will Give a Dance

Tonight

7:30 To 11 P. M.

AT

Rosbrook

Hall

"Toot Sweeters"

REDS ARE STOWAWAYS

Washington, Dec. 10.—Drastic steps
are being taken by the shipping board
to prevent stowaways entering the
United States aboard government ves-
sels. J. E. Cushing, director of opera-
tions of the board, today issued an or-
der requiring that the greatest vigilance
be exercised in the inspection of ships
for stowaways. Under the order a cap-
tain who permits a stowaway to reach
America will be removed from com-
mand.

Stowaways as a rule, it was pointed
out, are undesirable citizens of other
countries who cannot obtain passports
and take this method of reaching Amer-
ica. Many of the most objectionable
radicals are believed to have reached
this country in such a manner.

GERMANS PAYING UP

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Berlin, Dec. 9.—Agents have been sent
throughout Germany by the national
economy minister to make arrange-
ments for the delivery of milk cows,
sheep and goats to the entente, under
the provisions of the Peace Treaty. The
plan of operation requires that individ-
ual states shall deliver a given ratio of
their herds to the national agricultural
authorities.

Owners of cattle may submit prop-
osals and may deliver sheep or goats in
place of cows, if they prove that cows
are necessary for their nourishment.
Farmers are required to give up the an-
imals without compensation and can be
punished with a fine up to 5000 marks in
each case for refusal to turn over the
required stock.

Everybody reads the classified ad col-
umn in the Dixon Telegraph.

"The sled that steers"

Wins Every Race

Sledding time
is here

The healthy winter sport
of sledding gives vim, vigor
and rich red blood to boy or girl.
But to fully enjoy the fun of
whizzing over the snow and the
thrill of coasting you must have a

Flexible Flyer!

The only sled with grooved runners!

We have a complete line of new 1913
models. Before you buy a sled let us
show you the many superior advan-
tages of the Flexible Flyer.

Look for this TRADE MARK

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Our holiday stocks of gifts for men
and boys were never so large as
they are at this time. If you buy
his gift from this, his own store,
you may be sure it will be well re-
ceived.

Here is a very dressy overcoat—just enough
form tracing to give it good style.

These double-breasted models are particu-
larly good. There is a style individuality about
them that indicates good taste upon the part of
those who wear them.

We have seal and otter collars that can be worn
with these coats, which add a great deal to
their appearance.

PRICES RANGE FROM \$30 to \$60

VAILE AND
O'MALLEYThe men's
Christmas Store

Society Brand Clothes



Capt. Smith Wins Trip to Australia and Prize

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Port Darwin, Australia, Dec. 10.—Capt. Ross Smith, the Australian aviator, arrived here today from England, thus winning a prize of 10,000 pounds sterling offered for the first aviator to make the voyage.

Capt. Ross Smith left the Hounslow Aviation Field near London at 9 o'clock November 12, on his flight to Australia. On November 18 he reached Cairo and the next day he continued his flight, reaching Delhi, India, on November 23. From there he continued east until he reached Rangoon, turning southward at that city, making a number of stops along the Malay Peninsula and in the Islands of Oceania. He arrived at Bima, on Sumbawa Island, near Java Monday night.

Port Darwin is close to the northern most tip of Australia, being near the town of Palmerston.

Under the conditions laid down by the Australian government when it offered a prize for making a flight from England to Australia the distance of 11,500 miles had to be covered within 30 days.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington — Recommendations for the 1921 shipbuilding program include one battle cruiser, ten scout cruisers, five destroyer flotilla leaders and six submarines.

London—No agreement has been reached with Soviet Russia on the exchange of prisoners, Lord Stanmore announced.

London—The new Irish home rule bill will be introduced in parliament Monday, says the Daily Mail.

Honolulu—The United States has adopted a "hands off" policy in Siberia and will give no further assistance to Kolchak, says a Tokio cable to the Japanese Nippu Jiji.

New York—The cost of living advanced 1.3 per cent during the last month and now stands at 131 per cent above the pre-war level, according to Bradstreet.

Paris—The chief members of the American peace delegation left Paris

ABE MARTIN.



Of all the things that went up on account of the war, nothing has come down but a few decorations. Tiltford Moots, who has allus saved for a rainy day, bought a closed car with it today.

tonight on their return to the United States.

Washington—America's claims against Germany growing out of the sinking of the Lusitania and other vessels will more than offset the amount due the United States on account of the seizure of German ships in American ports, the shipping board announced.

AMUSEMENTS

"THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE"

How many million of book lovers in the world have read the delightful story of "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine"? It is a story of the Virginia Hills. Boston, New York and Philadelphia gave the play long runs and capacity houses for every performance. It is so artistically perfect that you are almost made to be-

lieve you are inhaling the fragrance of the mountain side. At the Dixon opera house tomorrow night.

COLLEGE STUDENTS COMING HOME FROM STATE VARSITY

Dixon young people who have been attending the University of Illinois are arriving home, the school having been closed because of the shortage of fuel in Champaign and Urbana. The university has plenty of coal, but boarding room and "frat" houses are without supplies and the university heads decided to close the institution until the situation is relieved.

MAYNARD CHARGES TOO MUCH BOOZE

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Dec. 9.—An official investigation will be ordered by the war department into statements attributed to Lieut. Belvin W. Maynard of the army air service that the secret of the failure of some of the pilots in the trans-continental army air race can be attributed to too much booze.

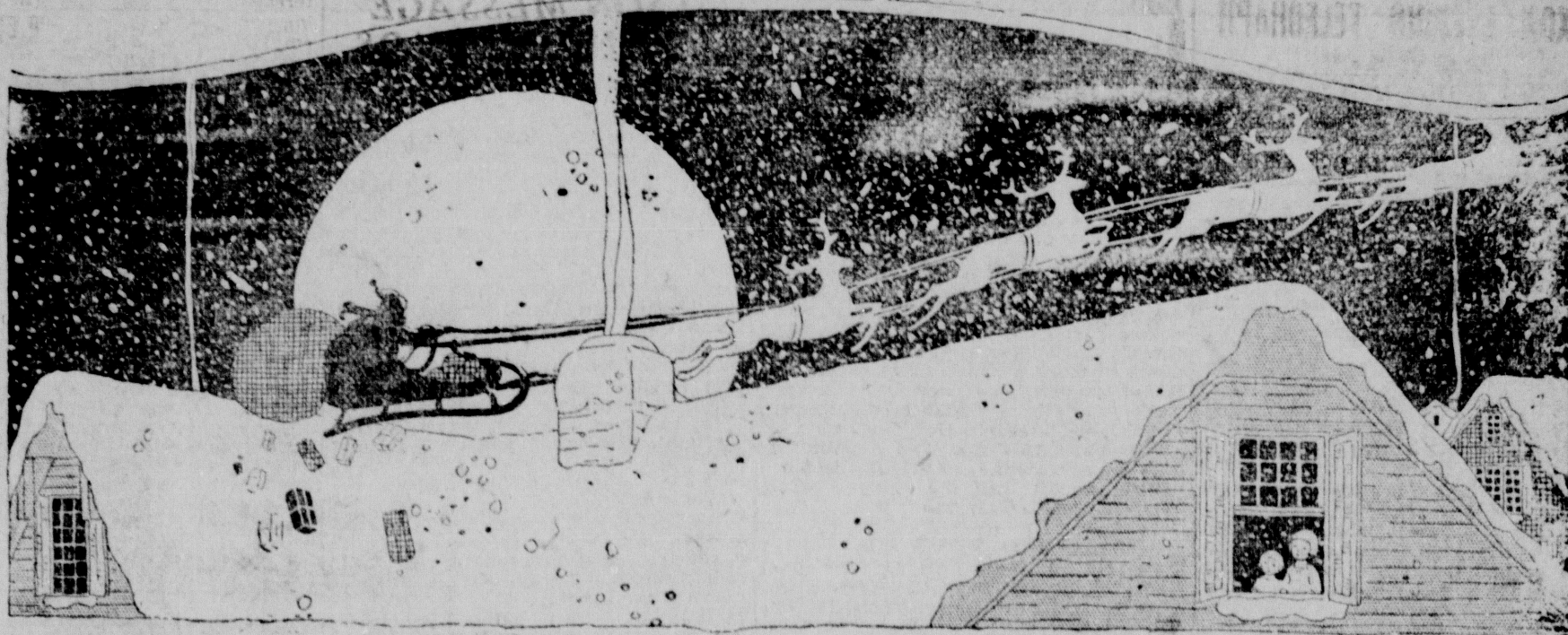
"IT'S REALLY WONDERFUL HOW THE CONFECTIONERY END OF OUR BUSINESS HAS GROWN. BUT THERE'S A REASON FOR IT. WE HANDLE NOTHING BUT THE HIGHEST GRADE GOODS FROM THE BEST MANUFACTURERS AND OUR PATRONS HAVE APPRECIATED OUR EFFORTS TO PLEASE THEM. OUR PACKAGES ARE READY. GIVE US YOUR ORDER EARLY. STERLING'S PHARMACY."

Mrs. Henry Doyle has gone to Marshalltown, Ia., to visit friends.

NOT THE ONLY ONE

There Are Other Dixon People Similarly Situated.

Can there be any stronger proof offered than the evidence of Dixon residents? After you have read the following, quietly answer the question.
J. Ruckey, 502 College Ave., Dixon, says: "I use Doan's Kidney Pills every spring and fall as a preventive from any serious kidney trouble. They always do just as represented. Now and then my back aches and I notice my kidneys don't act regularly. Just as soon as I feel any of those symptoms coming on, I use Doan's Kidney Pills and they never fail to help me. I have every reason to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to those in need of a good kidney medicine."
60c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co. Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.



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The real Spirit of Christmas is to make lives happier. Brighten the home with comfortable and charming Furniture and you brighten the lives of every member of the family.

For family or friend, Furniture is always appropriate—always acceptable. Our well-stocked floors offer many pleasing suggestions—pieces of utility and beauty and all priced to meet your instant approval.

Bring your gift list here and see how easy it is to select the very thing for your own home or that of friends in truly good gift Furniture.

Below we offer a few suggestions.

FOR THE LIVING ROOM

Fibre Reed Rockers and Chairs, Leg Rests, Lamps and Stands; Chairs with fancy art covered cushions with springs underneath and in a variety of 40 styles, from \$12.50 to \$54.00.

"ROYAL" Easy Chairs with adjustable backs, lazy leg rests, deep spring upholstery, styles and designs to harmonize with all other furnishings, \$29.75 to \$96.50.

Luxurious Davenport, either BED or SINGLE style, plain smooth seats or the loose, three cushion spring filled style, covered with leather fabrics or tapestries and velours, \$63.00 to \$320.00.

French Wilton Rugs, Royal Wilton, Axminster, Velvet Rugs, 9x12 and up to 11-3x 15 ft., from \$44.00 to \$250.00.

Electric Lamps, reading or floor style, silk or metal shades, oak, gold or mahogany, \$12.75 to \$117.50.

FOR THE BEDROOM

All Brass Beds, heavy posts and large filling rods, newest styles and finish, from \$34.50 to \$77.00.

Light weight Steel Beds, finished to perfectly match walnut, mahogany or oak, full size beds, also 4 ft. 3-6, 3 ft. widths, and Twin Beds, \$17.00 to \$52.00.

Mattresses, soft and warm, ALL cotton or all curled, long hair; years of luxury and warmth, from \$12.50 to \$73.00.

Toilet Tables and Vanity Dressers, all woods and with charming triplicate mirror effects and chairs and bench to match—\$32.00 to \$193.00.

Warm, fleecy, full size Blankets and Comforts, extra sizes, \$3.90 to \$22.00.

FOR THE DINING ROOM

A carload of Dining Chairs and Tables to pick and choose from. Extension Tables from \$18.50 to \$112.00.

Upholstered seat, solid Oak Chairs and Chairs of solid walnut, priced per set from \$20.00 to \$96.00.

Serving Tables; convenient indeed where there's not room for a buffet. \$18.00 to \$42.00.

Brussels Rugs, seamless and of excellent wool yarn in fine colorings and small, all-over designs. \$34.00 to \$81.00.

Tea Trays, practical and ornamental, too, oval and oblong, with cane or glass panels, \$2.75 to \$14.00.

FOR THE KITCHEN

"HOOSIER" furnishings; "HOOSIER," the cabinet BEAUTIFUL, and "HOOSIER" kitchen work tables with real porcelain, snowy white, hard, smooth working tops and "HOOSIER" Table Cabinets, from \$17.00 to \$73.00.

Congoleum Rugs, all sizes, richly handsome designs, smooth, easy to keep clean, shut out all floor draughts, \$4.75 to \$19.00.

This store is offering by far the finest assortment of splendid gift pieces ever shown here; gift pieces with all the exquisite elegance and dainty charm of the most delightful TRIFLE but with far more practical worth and luxury and permanence for LASTING regard of the GIVER. There are scores of items here that will delightfully appeal to the one you wish to remember and you will find, too, the PRICED goods to fit your purse.

11 A. M. TO 5:30 P. M.

Fuel conservation hours mean doing your Christmas shopping with least possible delay—by proper planning, ALL may be served.

STOP and SHOP
YOU CAN DO BETTER AT

KEYES AHRENS FURNITURE CO.

Christmas Orders
Delivered Anywhere

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Sterlings Say:

Christmas shoppers do not forget to visit our store and annex. Our assortment of useful gift goods is greater than ever this year. Below we give you a fairly comprehensive idea of the line of Christmas goods we are showing. In the assortment we have tried to show completeness by exhibiting all the standard and usual items found in a drug store and with many sundries, fancy items and specialties which drug stores seldom present. Come and see the goods and select early for the best choice.

Writing Desk Sets
Desk Accessories
Ink Wells
Calendar Pads
Paper Knives
Pencil Stands
Ivory Picture Frames
Brass Picture Frames
Stationery all sizes
Leather Tourist Tablets
Booklets, Xmas
Cards, Xmas
Gentlemen's Bill folds
Card Cases
Thermos Bottles
Flash Lights
Fountain Pens
Alcohol Stoves
Leather Manicure Sets
Match Boxes
Perfume Atomizers
Pin Cushions
Holly Paper
Tissue Paper
Playing Cards
Photographs
Records
Perfumes

NOW is the Time to ACT

If you are going to get your



PHONOGRAPH

in time for Christmas. We urge you to step in now and select your Pathe—or you are likely to be disappointed. A small deposit now insures against disappointment. We'll deliver your Pathe whenever you say.

And while you are in the shop, listen to the newest



RECORDS

They are all here including the latest of New York's musical comedy hits—and every other sort of music you care for.

Toilet Waters
Toilet Soaps
Sachets
Face Powders
Hair Brushes
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Brush and Comb Sets
Cameras
Films
Camera Cases
Kodak Picture Books
Ivory Goods
Electric pads
Ivory Clocks
Manicure Implements
Perfume Bottles
Candy
Cigars
Baby Sets
Shoe Shiners
Butters
Shaving Mirrors
Boudoir sets
Manicure Shears
Safety Razors
Shaving Sets
Leather Manicure Sets

Buy a Flying Horse Swing for the boy or girl. Something new and novel, enjoyed by all the children.

PRICE THREE DOLLARS

Let the above lists prove your best aid in gift selection. Come to our store, look over the stocks all you please, ask any questions about them, and buy or not as our goods or prices might appeal. Send the children here to buy their individual gifts; we will serve them as pleasingly as we would you.

Red Cross Seals for sale at our store. Use them on your packages—the Red Cross needs your help.

106-108 Galena Avenue

DIXON, ILL.

Stealing & Sterling

106-108 Galena Ave.

Veteran Battleships Will Die with Their Boots On, Under Fire

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, D. C., Dec. 9.—American battleships will be given an opportunity to test their marksmanship on real battle ships steaming at full speed under actual battle conditions if plans now being worked out at the navy department materialize.

The bureau of ordinance, it was learned today, contemplates taking several obsolete ships to the target range and using them as targets moving at full speed. There, would, of course, be no crew aboard the target ships, which would be steered by an electrical distant control system, probably from an aer- plane or another vessel.

In this manner, it was pointed out at the department, the battleships could be maneuvered under conditions approximating those of battle. Smoke screens would be interposed between the target and the fleet to simulate a destroyer smoke screen.

Heretofore no effort has been made to use moving ships as targets. Some years ago the old Texas, re-named the San Marcos, was towed to Tangier Sound in Chesapeake Bay and there riddled with shells from the 12 inch guns of the fleet.

A number of old battleships, condemned to the scrap heap or sale for junk, are available for use as moving targets under the department's new plan. Among them are the Iowa, Indiana, Massachusetts and the Illinois-Wisconsin class.

EAGLE AND PLANE MEET IN CONTEST

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Dec. 1.—(Delayed)—Eagle and airman have met in a contest for the supremacy of the air, and the eagle has been defeated. The encounter occurred high above the Pyrennes in the half light of early morning recently when a British officer was piloting a single seater scout machine from Paris to Madrid. The airman was flying at a rate of 100 miles an hour when a big eagle soared up to meet him.

"It was as if the eagle had thrown me a challenge," says the airman, "but the laughter died on my lips when I thought that perchance a lucky dive by the bird, or maybe a collision in mid-air would send me crashing to the rocks beneath."

"The eagle lumbered around me at about 90 miles per hour and I throttled down to the same pace while we took stock of each other. The air by then was crystal clear and I could see every feather on him as we circled about for a while like two antagonists above the western front."

"The eagle started to climb and I went after him yard by yard. Unable to resist any longer, I opened the throttle, put my nose down and loomed right over him. He made one great effort to catch up and with it his strength failed."

"His wings gave a feeble beat and with every appearance of a shot plane, he nose-dived to earth. I followed him down a good 1200 feet and saw him flounder out and land near a village in the foothills, completely exhausted."

Your subscription to the Telegraph will be discontinued when your time is up. Glance at the little yellow tag, to ascertain your correct date.

Dismiss Officer Who Praised His Exploits

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Dec. 8.—Sentence of dismissal imposed by a naval court martial on Captain Edmund George Chamberlain, an aviator in the marine corps on charges growing out of his sensational claims of having defeated a superior force of German airships on the western front was approved today by Secretary Daniels.

Chamberlain is a native of San Antonio, Tex. His case became one of unusual interest to the service and officials of the navy department and marine corps were sent overseas to investigate every point involved.

Chamberlain claimed that on July 28, 1918, on a trip over the British front he had fought with twelve German planes, destroyed five of them, damaged two others and sweeping earthward with a damaged machine, scattered a detachment of German soldiers. He said that after landing he took a German prisoner by pretending that a compass was a bomb and then carried a wounded French officer back to safety.

Denial of the exploits by British officers led to an investigation. Chamberlain contended that the failure of the British fliers to corroborate his story was because the admission that an American officer had used a British machine would have resulted in their court martial. Witnesses in Chamberlain's court martial testified that he had landed in a British plane on the date mentioned in his official report.

Chamberlain's case now goes to President Wilson for final decision.

After the court martial trial at London, Chamberlain was returned to this country and pending review of the case, remained in arrest, being confined in the District of Columbia.

The case attracted wide-spread attention due to the publicity which Chamberlain's story received and his recommendation for both the congressional medal of honor and the Victoria cross of England. The marine aviator is a graduate of Princeton and the University of Texas.

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RAPS RETAIL PROFITS

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Lawrence, Mass., Dec. 8.—William M. Wood, president of the American Woolen Co., today served notice on retail business men of this city that unless prices of commodities essential to living were marked down sharply he would set up a retail store organization here on a large scale to supply employees of the company with groceries, provisions, fuel, clothing, hardware and other articles.

Referring to the discontent prevailing over existing prices, Mr. Wood said that it was useless to raise wages and find the effort lost in an increasing cost of living. "I am acting from a christian point of view," he said, and added that having no wish to drive local merchants out of business he would give them "a reasonable time" to adjust their prices.

NEW "FAIR" SUGAR PRICE

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Sugar may be sold at 16 1/2 cents per pound, Maj. A. A. Sprague, head of the Illinois fair price committee announced today. This figure is based on a price of 12 cents per pound at the refinery.

Wholesalers will be allowed to charge a maximum of one cent per pound profit if retail prices are set at 17 1/2 cents. An attempt will be made to influence retailers to sell as much sugar as possible directly to the wholesale dealer and not to discriminate in favor of the jobber.

Maj. Sprague said that resales within the trade would be discouraged and that if any are transacted the total profit to both wholesaler and jobber in the deal must not exceed the one cent per pound margin.

—Farmers, advertise your public sales in the Dixon Daily Telegraph, the old and reliable paper that has furnished reading matter to the people of Lee and surrounding counties for the past 59 years. It's the only daily in Lee, Ogle and Bureau counties.

11 HENS IDLE; NOW LAY 221 EGGS A MONTH

Mrs. Young Almost Gave Up Raising Chickens. Then She Tried This Plan.

"When I accepted your offer and tried Don Sung, I had been getting 1 or 2 eggs every other day. The next month, using 50 cents worth of Don Sung, my 11 hens laid 221 eggs. I almost gave up raising chickens, but now I have decided to raise as many as I can."—Mrs. F. C. Young, Bellefonte, Pa.

Feed is too expensive to waste on idle hens. You can easily start your hens laying and keep them laying, even in coldest winter. To prove it, all you need do is accept our offer, as Mrs. Young did.

Give your hens Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself and pays you a good profit besides, tell us and your money will be promptly refunded.

Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying) works directly on the egg-laying organs, and is also a splendid tonic. It is easily given in the feed, improves the hen's health, makes her more active in any weather, and starts her laying.

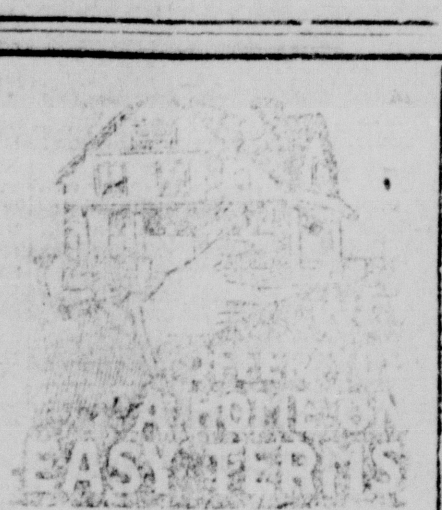
Try Don Sung for 30 days and if it doesn't get you the eggs, no matter how cold or wet the weather, your money will be refunded by return mail. Get Don Sung from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer or send 50 cents for a package by mail prepaid. Burrell-Duggler Co., 284 Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

AUTO FACTORY USES GASOLINE

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Detroit, Mich., Dec. 9.—One of the largest automobile plants in the city, compelled to close by the orders of the national fuel administrator will attempt to re-open tomorrow with gasoline furnishing the motive power to operate its machinery. Hundreds of automobile motors will be hooked up to turn the factory wheels. Anticipating success of the plan, employees in 21 departments have been ordered to return to work on Wednesday morning.

PRINCE BUILDS NEAR EX-KAISER'S HOME?

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Amerongen, Dec. 8.—Reports are current that a house will be built near Amerongen on ground leased from Count Bentinck for one of the sons of former Emperor William of Germany. It is said that this son will probably be Prince Adalbert, who now is visiting his parents here and will go to Wieringen to visit his brother, the former Crown Prince.



You furnish the lot, and some money, and we'll loan you the balance to build a nice bungalow.

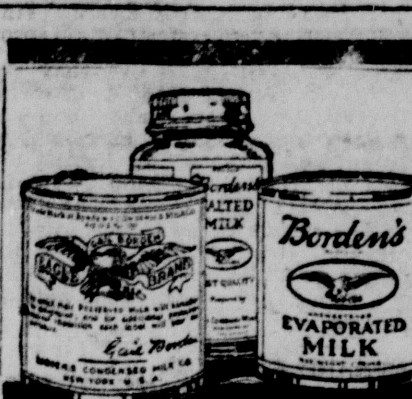
Our terms are just like rent, only there's a come-back on every payment. Ask anybody who has been there—he knows.

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—function gently but firmly without the violence of purgatives—when you treat them with Dr. King's New Life Pills. A smooth-acting laxative that gets right down to business and gratifying results. All druggists—25c. a bottle.

BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work. People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

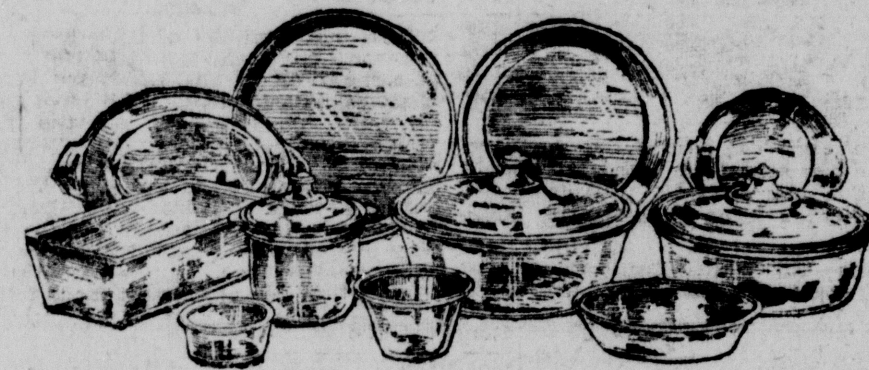
Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gently but firmly on the bowels and liver, stimulating them to natural action, clearing the blood and gently purifying the entire system. They do that which dangerous calomel does without any of the bad after effects.

All the benefits of nasty, sickening, gripping cathartics are derived from Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets without gripping, pain or any disagreeable effects. Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the formula after seventeen years of practice among patients afflicted with bowel and liver complaint, with the attendant bad breath.

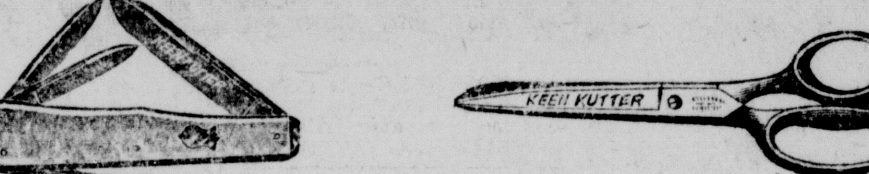
Olive Tablets are purely a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two every night for a week and note the effect. 10c and 25c.

PYREX Transparent OVEN-WARE

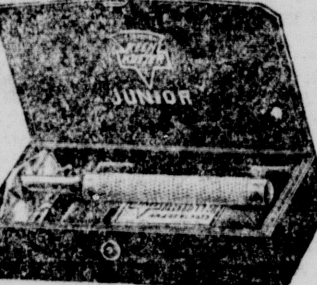
Has the name on every piece



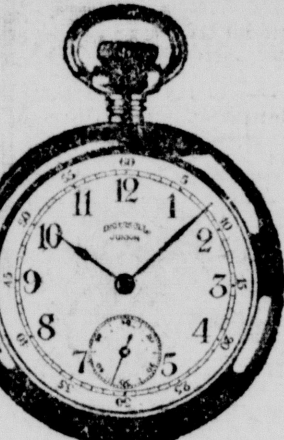
Pyrex Ware has been sold by us for four years and we can heartily recommend it. We have nearly the complete line, including the Casseroles with the engraved covers. Any of these pieces make a dainty gift that will surely be appreciated by any housekeeper.



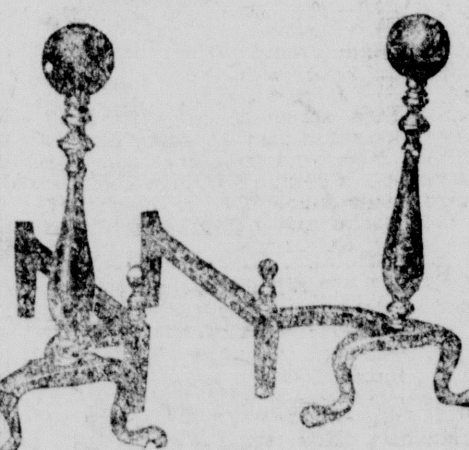
A gift of Cutlery signifies the cutting loose of the recipient from all evil spirits.



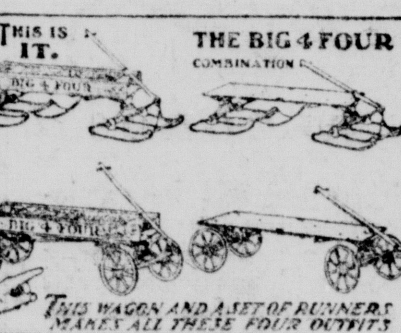
Keen Kutter Shears, Pocket Knives, Razors and Tools are strictly high grade.



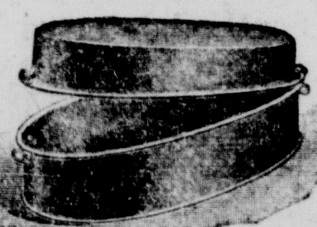
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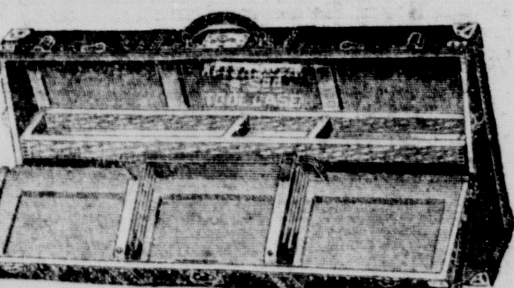
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MECHANICS' TOOL CASES. We have a new lot. Carpenters' cases, \$8.00. Auto Repairers' and Electricians' cases, \$1.00 and \$1.00. Machinists' Cabinet cases, \$12.75, \$13.50.

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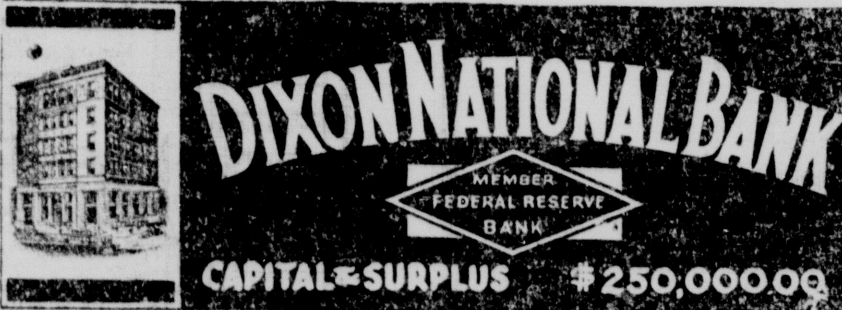
Buying a Diamond is therefore not a luxury, but an investment of the very best kind, and just think of the great pleasure it will bring to the recipient.

In the remarkable selection of Fine Diamonds and Diamond Jewelry that we are showing this season, are many distinctive and exclusive styles from which to choose, and you can be sure that you get none but the most perfectly cut stones, for we carry no other kind.

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Reading Notices, per line	.10
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WANTED

WANTED—Trappers and farmers who have skunks, muskrats or any kind of fur to call phone 184 and I will call on you, will pay highest cash market price or when coming to town bring it down to our office, 609 W. Third St. at foot of arch. Dixon Iron & Metal Co., H. Hasselton, Prop. Phone 184. Open evenings. 2801f

WANTED—We are paying highest prices for all kinds of junk, hides, wool, and old automobiles. Get our prices before you sell. We call for orders promptly and guarantee satisfaction. Snow & Wienman, Phone 81, 1111 River St. 741f

WANTED—Subscribers to look at the yellow tag on their telegraph and if in arrears please send check, P. O. order or draft to the Dixon Evening Telegraph. 1f

WANTED—To buy gas stove, electric fan and brasses, no objections if fairly worn. Not willing to pay big price. Phone X765. 2811f

WANTED TO BUY—2 or 3 show cases, also wall case and counter. Give particulars. Address H. S. Telegraph. 2812f

WANTED—Shoe repairing of all kinds at my home, 581 West Ninth St. First class work and prices reasonable. Otto Joseph. Phone K385. 2813f

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WANTED—Position caring for children evenings. 75c an evening. Phone K582. 28116f

WANTED—House of six or seven rooms, with barn. Address W. C. Telegraph. 28113f

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WANTED—Few good girls to work in finishing department on musical instruments. Eight hours. Music Note Roll Co. Mr. Austin. 2811f

WANTED—One married and one single man to work on farm. Good wages for a good man. Phone or write Dr. E. Powell, Polo, Ill. 28116f

WANTED—Girls; steady employment, good working conditions and good wages. Apply at once. Borden's Condensed Milk Co. 28111f

WANTED—Local agent for leading old line insurance company of Illinois. If you have character and pep, write to M. Holland, Dixon, Ill. 28113f

WANTED—Fruit salesman, with experience, to make country territory; also shipping clerk. Steady employment to right man. Dixon Fruit Co. 28113f

WANTED—Woman to sweep and clean. Call phone K651 mornings. 2811f

WANTED—Woman as housekeeper to go to country. Telephone X649. 28113f

WANTED—Women to do washing and ironing. Telephone X649. 28113f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—The Gleason homestead described as Lots 11 and 12, in Steinmann's Addition to Dixon, will be sold at public auction at the dwelling house on the premises, on Saturday, December 13th, at 1:30 o'clock P. M. This is a large eight room house, located near the northwest corner of Assembly Park, and is sold by order of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Illinois. For further particulars, inquire of Mark C. Keller, Master in Chancery, or Henry C. Warner, Attorney. 28116f

FOR SALE—A few extra long rugged full blood Jersey Duroc spring boars from best of breeding; good hard workers. Bargain prices. W. H. O'Malley, Dixon, Ill. Telephone 4111. 28112f

FOR SALE—Men's winter caps, sweaters, tennis flannel night shirts, wool socks, wool mittens and gloves, men's suede gloves for street wear at Todd's Hat Store. 28012f

FOR SALE—Men's union suits just received at \$2.25. Boys' union suits \$1.50. Many odd pieces of underwear at old prices, small sizes, at Todd's Hat Store. 28012f

FOR SALE—Double house, modern, good investment. Reason for selling, owner lives away from here. For further information Telephone X829. 1601f

FOR SALE—Wholesale paper for pantry shelves and bureau drawers, 1c a sheet. Put up in 10, 15, 25, 50 and 75 lbs. B. F. Shaw Pig. Co. 1f

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Everything in household goods, stoves and ranges. Telephone 207 or Call 324 West First Street. 1911f

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Poland China Boars and gilts. Big type. Prices right. M. H. Brimblecom & Son, Polo, Ill. R. 3. 28126f

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FOR SALE—We have ranges, heating stoves, beds of all kinds, mattresses and furniture of all descriptions. The Exchange. E. N. Trautman, 723 Depot Ave. Phone 557. 731f

FOR SALE—6 lots, North Crawford Ave. only on W. River St. Modern 6 room house, two fine lots, on Douglas Ave. Thomas Young, 316 Third St. 2141f

FOR SALE—One Ky. Jack. The right kind, good size, fine individual. Phone 27210. Clear Creek Farm, Dixon, Route 4. 28113f

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Holstein bull, 13 months old, fine individual. Priced to sell quickly. H. J. Hughes, Route 1. Phone L2. 28116f

FOR SALE—Chickering Bros. piano, fine, upright, in perfect condition. Mrs. Esthene Shaw, Bluff Park. Phone 992. 1291f

FOR SALE—Calling cards for Christmas gifts. A very nice and appropriate gift. Order early. B. F. Shaw Pig. Co. 1f

FOR SALE—12 guage Baker hammerless, nearly new shot gun, nearly new leather case. Also piano. Call phone Y761. 3 281f

FOR SALE—Fifty bushels Baby Rice, 10c a pound or \$4.00 a bushel basket. Telephone X-1112. 2811f

FOR RENT—Four nice rooms, arranged for housekeeping. Inquire at 1009 Palmyra Ave. 28113f

FOR SALE—Dining room table, 54x31, 10. Mrs. G. H. Squires, 519 E. Second St. 2811f

FOR SALE—Spotted Poland China boars. Earl Harris. Phone C21. 2810f

FOR SALE—Good gas range. Inquire at 817 Jackson Ave. Phone B308. 28113f

FOR SALE—Late model Overland roadster, \$300. Can be seen at Wilson's garage. 28113f

FOR SALE—Complete set of "Modern Music and Musicians," for both voice and piano at half price. Telephone 634. 28116f

FOR SALE—18-inch heating stove good as new. Inquire at 1009 Palmyra Ave. 28113f

FOR SALE—My residence, 519 E. Second St. Eleanor Squires. Phone 1821f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—200 acre dairy farm known as Schrader place, 4 miles north of Dixon, want dairyman with about 40 milk cows on half or share only. Fine basement barn, about one hundred fifty acres under cultivation, balance blue grass pasture, some timber, running water, wind mill, large silo, and good fences, to be built, 7 room cottage, orchard, large double corn crib, granary, hog house and pasture. Apply to 319 W. First St. above laundry. 2821f

FOR RENT—Furnished front room in good modern home. Suitable for two. Three blocks from business district. 214 W. Fifth St. Opposite South Side school. Phone Y456. 28111f

FOR RENT—A fine improved 500 acre grain and dairy farm, to good dairyman with proper number of cows, 10 miles east of Dixon. R. R. No. 4. Phone 27210. Clear Creek Farm. 28113f

FOR RENT—Sleeping room in modern home. Call at 521 E. 3rd St. or phone Y254. 2801f

LOST

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—From 750 to 800 lbs. Finder please notify Chas. W. Jeanblanc, Lee Center and receive reward. 28112f

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss.

Estate of John Todd, Deceased.

Public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of John Todd deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, Ill., on the 16th day of December 1919, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.

Dixon, Illinois, December 2nd, A. D. 1919.

JOHN GREER, Administrator.

Clyde Smith, Attorney. Dec. 2-1919

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE

Long this driveway portion of Everett Street from Galesburg Avenue to the City of Dixon in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, and that said pavement was constructed in accordance with law and the provision of said ordinance, and that said ordinance is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City of Dixon.

That the Board of Local Improvements of said City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, at a regular meeting of said Board, held on October 21st, 1919, passed a resolution providing in substance that a supplemental assessment be levied to pay the estimated deficiency on said Local Improvement Ordinance Number 189, Series 1919, for the improvement therein described.

That pursuant to said Resolution, the Council of the City of Dixon, on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1919, passed an ordinance providing for the levy of a Supplemental Assessment to pay a deficit arising from the construction of concrete curbing, cement concrete driveways and cement concrete roadway pavement on and along the driveway portion of Everett Street from Galesburg Avenue to the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, as provided in said Local Improvement Ordinance Number 189, Series 1919 of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

That said Ordinance providing for the levy of said Supplemental Assessment, has been on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon, Illinois, that application has been made to the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, for the Assessment of an amount sufficient to pay the deficit arising under the Original Ordinance and estimate therefor according to the benefits as provided by law and said Ordinance of November 4th, A. D. 1919; that an Assessment Roll levying such Supplemental Assessment has been made and returned to said Court, and that the final hearing thereon, will be held before said County Court, in the County Court Room, in the Court House in the City of Dixon, Illinois, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, on the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1919, or as soon thereafter as the business of said Court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said Court, before said time, and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said Supplemental Special Assessment is payable in Ten (10) annual installments, and all installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, according to law, until paid.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 8th day of December, A. D. 1919.

GROVER W. GERHART, Commissioner.

FORECLOSURE SALE BY MASTER IN CHANCERY

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss.

In the Circuit Court of Lee County, William M. Shaw vs

No. 188, Series of 1919.

FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, caused to be filed in the County Court of said County of Lee, on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1919, a certificate showing the final cost of constructing vitrified tile pipe sewer with manholes, catchbasins and house connection laterals in First Street in the City of Dixon, Illinois, constructed under City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance Number 189, Series of 1919, and the amount estimated by said Board to be required to meet the accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work.

Said certificate and the work that said work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown on said certificate are as follows: 728 linear feet of 12 inch sewer complete at One and thirty-seven hundredths (1.37) Dollars per linear foot; 281.36; 160 linear feet of 10 inch sewer complete at One (1) Dollar per linear foot; 160.00; 452 linear feet of 6 inch laterals complete at Seventy-five (75) cents per linear foot; 338.50; 3 manholes complete at \$60.00 each; \$180.00; 5 catch basins complete with traps and pipes; 3 manholes at \$40.00 each; \$120.00; total cost of work \$1876.36; legal expense \$61.26; total cost of improvement \$1937.62.

Public notice is further given that the Court has set said certificate and any objections that may be filed therein for hearing at 9 o'clock in the forenoon on Wednesday, the 24th day of December, A. D. 1919, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will permit.

Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Any person interested may file objections before the time set for hearing and appear and show why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated this 5th day of December, A. D. 1919.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.

By Robert H. Scott, Its Attorney.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE OF SUPPLEMENTAL ASSESSMENT LEVIED TO PAY DEFICIT ARISING UNDER CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS, LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 187, SERIES OF 1919.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons interested that the Council of the City of Dixon, a municipal corporation, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, has, by Local Improvement Ordinance No. 187, Series of 1919, Supplemental Assessment, passed by the Council of said City of Dixon on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1919 and approved by the Mayor of said City of Dixon on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1919, provided for the levy of a Supplemental Special Assessment to pay a deficit of Four Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-five and Thirty-six Hundredths (\$4465.36) Dollars arising under City of Dixon, Illinois, Local Improvement Ordinance No. 187, Series of 1919, which last mentioned Ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of Dixon, Illinois, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1919, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1919.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said Court, before said time, and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

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Said certificate and the work that said work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said Board.

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Public notice is further given that the Court has set said certificate and any objections that may be filed therein for hearing at 9 o'clock in the forenoon on Wednesday, the 24th day of December, A. D. 1919, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will permit.

Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Any person interested may file objections before the time set for hearing and appear and show why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated this 5th day of December, A. D. 1919.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.

By Robert H. Scott, Its Attorney.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE OF SUPPLEMENTAL ASSESSMENT LEVIED TO PAY DEFICIT ARISING UNDER CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS, LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE NO. 187, SERIES OF 1919.

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All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said Court, before said time, and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said Supplemental Special Assessment is payable in Ten (10) annual installments, and all installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, according to law, until paid.

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PUBLIC SALE DATE
Dec. 16—James A. Hoover, 4 miles south of Franklin Grove and 6 miles north of Amboy. Kelly, Auct. 113.

Dreamland Dance, Dixon opera house hall, every Friday night. 28913

LAUNDRY PATRONS, NOTICE!
Robbins & Poole announce that all bundles left in the laundry office will be taken care of.

DANCING SCHOOL
After the drill at Armory hall Thursday 8:30 Wilhelmina Kaylor will instruct her dancing class. The change made necessary by the coal shortage. 11

METHODIST MENTION.
Prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday at 7:30. Please notice the change of time.

Rev. Lumsden attended the meeting of pastors in Chicago on Monday. Ten conferences were represented. The junior choir will practice Wednesday at 4 o'clock. We want every member present.

We are conserving in every way. Our country needs the church's prayers in these days. Let us make all service held of greatest constructive value. The Christian religion makes the true moral. While we conserve in coal may our prayers abound.
W. H. M. S. meets Wednesday at 521 Hennepin Ave.

ST. LUKE'S NOTES.

John Norton will be here on Thursday to meet with the choir, the Junior choir at 4:15 and the Adult choir at 7:30. The opera practice will be held at 8:30 Thursday evening.

There will be no service on Friday night as announced by the rector, who will go instead to Sterling to address a meeting of the church there as a preliminary to the campaign there on Sunday. A luncheon will be served at 6:30 at the Sterling Club.

The church exceeded its quota in the Nation-Wide Campaign, pledging \$8,000 for 3 years, or \$24,000 in all.

Presbyterian Candlelighters' apron and food sale, Saturday, Dec. 13, Pratt-Reed Grocery. Members bring donations. 28713.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brooks, of Hamilton, were in town Tuesday.

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Today's Market Report

(By Associated Press Leased Wire)

DAY'S RANGE ON CHICAGO BOARD

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
CORN—Dec.	1.42 1/2	1.44	1.42 1/2	1.43 1/2	1.41 1/2
Jan.	1.37 1/2	1.38 1/2	1.37	1.37 1/2	1.36 1/2
May	1.34 1/2	1.35 1/2	1.34	1.34 1/2	1.34
OATS—Dec.	.78	.79	.78 1/2	.78 1/2	.78 1/2
May	.80 1/2	.81 1/2	.80 1/2	.81 1/2	.80 1/2
PORK—Jan.	35.50	35.70	35.50	35.50	35.49
May	34.00	34.00	33.90	34.00	33.85
LARD—Dec.	22.80	22.97	22.80	22.85	22.75
Jan.	23.05	23.15	23.00	23.15	22.95
RIBS—Jan.	18.50	18.65	18.30	18.45	18.40
May	18.90	18.95	18.70	18.85	18.80

BULLISH MARKET ON CORN TODAY

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Corn went decidedly higher in price today. Extremely cold weather, lightness of receipts and upturn in the hog market were all bullish factors. Strong commission houses led the buying. Opening prices, which ranged from 1/2 to 1/4 higher, were followed by a continued advance.

Oats rose with corn, and displayed more activity than has recently been the rule. After opening unchanged to 1/4 higher, including May at 80 1/2 to 81, the market scored substantial gains all around.

Provisions were higher owing largely to the strength of hogs and corn. Besides, winter slaughtering of hogs showed a material reduction as compared with last year.

January started at 1.37 1/2 to 1.37 1/2 and May at 1.34 1/2 to 1.34 1/2.

After mid-day speculative selling that accompanied extreme weakness of British exchange led to something of a reaction in corn values. The close was unsettled, 1/4 to 1/2 not higher, with January 1.37 1/2 to 1.37 1/2 and May 1.34 1/2 to 1.34 1/2.

Chicago Livestock.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Hogs receipts 22,000; 25c to 50c higher; bulk 12.65@13.00; top 13.05; heavy 12.60@13.00; medium 12.55@13.05; light 12.65@13.00; light 12.25@12.75; heavy packing sows, smooth 12.00@12.50; packing sows, rough 11.50@12.00; pigs 11.50@12.50. Cattle receipts 11,000; strong. Beef steers medium and heavy weight; choice and prime 19.00@21.50; medium and good 11.50@19.00; common 9.00@11.50. Light weight good and choice 14.25@20.75; common and medium 8.25@14.25. Butcher cattle heifers 6.75@15.50; cows 6.50@14.25. Cannery and cullers 5.50@6.50. Veal calves 5.75@17.75. Feeder steers 7.00@12.50. Stocker steers 6.00@10.75. Western range—Steers 7.50@15.00; cows and heifers 6.50@12.50. Sheep receipts 10,000; strong. Lambs 14.75@16.75; culls and common 10.50@14.50. Ewes medium good and choice 7.75@9.75; culls and common 4.25@7.50.

Chicago Produce.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Potatoes receipts \$3 cars; no sales; weather too cold. Butter lower; creamery 57.00@58.00; lower, receipts 837 cases; firsts 77@78; ordinary firsts 70@72; at mark, cases included 70@77. Poultry alive unchanged; springs 23c; fowls 18@25c; turkeys 32.

Chicago Cash Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Corn: No. 2 mixed old 1.51; No. 2 yellow old 1.58@1.59; Oats No. 2 white 83@84; No. 3 white 80@83; Rye No. 2 1.63@1.64; Barley 1.50@1.67; Timothy seed 8.50@11.50; Clover seed 30.00@48.00. Pork nominal. Lard 25.50. Ribs 18.00@19.00.

Kansas City Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Kansas City, Dec. 10.—Cash wheat No. 1 hard 2.55@2.88; No. 2 2.32@2.85; No. 1 red 2.51@2.52; No. 2 2.50. Corn No. 2 mixed 1.55@1.57; No. 2 white 1.56@1.58. No. 2 yellow 1.58@1.59; Oats No. 2 white 81 1/2; No. 2 mixed 78@79.

New York Liberty Bonds.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New York, Dec. 10.—Prices of lib-

DUROC JERSEYS

A few rugged spring boars sired by Chief O. K. at \$30 each. Cholera immunized. Bred sow sale Jan. 28th. Farm located 6 miles south of Dixon, 1 mile west of Eldena.

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Country dressed ducks	30
Country dressed geese	30
Country dressed turkeys	43

DECEMBER MILK PRICE.

From Dec. 1 until further notice The Borden Co. will pay \$3.65 per cwt. for milk testing 3.5 per cent butter fat, with the usual addition or subtraction of 4 cents per point for milk above or below that standard.

ELDENA.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mossholder, of Somerset, Pa., are here visiting the former's brother, Isaac Mossholder. They leave on Tuesday for Sioux City, Ia., to visit their son over the holidays. Mr. Mossholder has the ownership of the building of the state highway of Somerset county.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Torgerson took dinner at the Isaac Mossholder home Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Helmbaugh was shopping in Dixon Saturday.

Mrs. Alois Fritz, of Beatrice, Neb., returned to her home after visiting with her mother, Mrs. Martha Shoemaker, for some time.

Mrs. Minnie Whipperman and children spent Saturday night and Sunday at the Isaac Mossholder home.

Mrs. George Mossholder and daughter, Lola, and Mrs. Ralph Mossholder, of Mendota, visited at the home of Isaac Mossholder home on Friday and Saturday. They are visiting in Dixon until Monday with Mrs. Sheetz and Mrs. June.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

R. A. Gross to Jacob King wd \$42,000 neq 2 Hamilton.
William S. Leslie to Merton and Marjorie Vail Ransom wd \$5,500 lot 5 blk 18, North Dixon.
Lucy Gillett to Linus Holcomb qed 1 lot 10 blk 1 of sub of blk 9 Farwell's 2nd add Amboy.

Willard Countryman, Wilson Dysart, William Bardwell and Robert Powell are home from the University of Illinois. The latter had been ill at the hospital in Champaign some time previous to his return home. Harold Rowland will be among those returning tomorrow.

LICENSED TO WED.

A marriage license has been issued to James R. Sample and Miss Bessie Charvat, both of Walnut.

M. E. SENIOR CHOR—

Every member of the Methodist Senior Choir is requested to be present at 8 o'clock this evening at rehearsal, to be held in the basement of the church after prayer meeting.

LIBRARY RE-OPENS.

The Dixon Public Library was given permission today by Mayor Smith to be open each day between the hours of 2 and 4:30.

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